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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JULY 15, 1908

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$105,187.3	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	17,962.50	Surplus and Profits	9,665.56
Bonds, Securities, etc.,	3,556.30	Circulation	17,500.00
Building, Fur. and fixt.	14,331.70	DEPOSITS	112,006.47
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## FINANCES BEING CONSIDERED

### Chairmen Mack and Wetmore and Trsasurer Haskell Devising Plans to Raise Money.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 9.—Ways and means of financing the democratic national campaign were discussed at length today at a meeting of Chairman Mack of the national committee, Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the committee, Col. Moses C. Wetmore of St. Louis, chairman of the finance committee, and Millard E. Dunlap of Illinois, former treasurer of the national committee. No definite decision was reached and the question of raising a fund of sufficient proportions to maintain an effective three months' campaign will be brought up for solution at a meeting of the various heads of the committees tomorrow.

#### Thinks Shelves Forthcoming.

Neither Gov. Haskell nor Col. Wetmore have formed any definite plan for raising a campaign fund, although both are confident that the committee will not lack funds to meet all legal expenses of a presidential fight. While the suggestion has been made that a fund of \$500,000 would be sought, both Governor Haskell and Col. Wetmore declared that no definite sum had been settled upon. After an informal meeting

on the financial proposition today Gov. Haskell said:

"I have every confidence that the committee will obtain all the funds needed to wage a hard fight for Mr. Bryan, although as yet no plan has been determined upon. I have made no appeals for money, but have already received \$19,000, which came unsolicited. No definite sum has been fixed for a fund, which, in our party, must be collected from the plain people."

#### Committee Will Meet.

Col. Wetmore said he would call a meeting of the finance committee at once to devise some way to secure money.

"This is a democratic year," said Col. Wetmore, "and the republicans will need dollars where we need dimes. Of course the republicans will get their funds from corporations, multimillionaires and federal officeholders, just as they have always done, but we must get our money from those who have but little to spare, no matter how willing their spirit may be. If we can get money enough to run a good campaign Bryan will be elected. Raising money is no easy task, and if anyone covets my job and thinks he can do better he can have it."

## RUSH FOR MINOR'S LANDS

### Soon as That Easier Acquired is all Bought.---Nearly Half Indian Land Belongs to Minors.

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 8.—Judges of county courts in the 40 counties of Eastern Oklahoma will be the busiest men in the state during the next six months. They will have to order the sale, advertise for bids and pass upon the transfer of every tract of land owned by minor Indians who wish to sell, and most of them will want to sell at least a part of their land.

In the first rush for land the buyers could not take the time to fool with a court order that embraced the advertisement for 30 days for bids and opened the land to competition. But as soon as the rush is over they will turn their attention to minor land.

No Indian child can sell its land

without the consent of its guardian and the approval of the county court wherein the land is situated. Before the court can approve the sale he must advertise for bids on the land in order to see that the child gets all the land is worth. Then he approves or rejects the sale. But in this procedure there can be no question but what the purchaser is getting the only deed to the land and that his title will be absolutely good when the court puts its seal on the transfer.

Nearly half the Indian allotments in old Indian Territory are owned by minors. This large percentage is due to late laws which admitted Indian children to the rolls after the time for closing the rolls had been officially set. Thousands came in under what is known as the "new born" clause in the Creek, Cherokee, Choctaw and Chickasaw nations.

### EX-CONFEDS ARE AT SULPHUR

Sulphur, Ok., Aug. 9.—For three days the Trans-Mississippi Confederate Generals have been marshalling their troops and forwarding them to Sulphur, where they will Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday join the Confederates of Old Indian Territory and Old Oklahoma in their great State reunion. Gen. W. L. Cabell and staff of Dallas, Lieutenant General, commander of the Trans-Mississippi department, arrived this evening over the Frisco, at the head of a large body of troops. "Old Tige" and his troops were met at the station by the local camp and marched to the Artesian Hotel, Confederate headquarters, to the music of life and drum. Arriving at the reunion headquarters "Dixie" was played, which stirred the old soldiers to wild enthusiasm and caused them to turn loose their old-time rebel yell and battle cry. The sons and daughters and a great throng of citizens and visitors gathered on the streets to see Gen. Cabell march in at the head of his troops. This crowd caught the infection, and they, too, yelled, giving greater and greater volume to the old Con-

federat battle cry.

On account of Gen. D. M. Hailey being Oklahoma's delegate on the Bryan notification committee and the necessity of the general being in Lincoln Wednesday to render Oklahoma's part in the formal notification of Mr. Bryan of his nomination for the presidency, the Old Indian Territory and the Old Oklahoma divisions will be dissolved by resolution tomorrow morning instead of Tuesday. The consolidation of the two divisions will immediately follow, Gen. Cabell presiding.

The Oklahoma and Indian Territory divisions of the United Daughters of the Confederacy having concluded their respective conventions met Saturday evening in the parlors of the Artesian in joint session, and elected officers.

#### Memorial Services.

Memorial services were held in the opera house this afternoon for Mrs. Serena Carter, mother of Congressman Carter, and for Mrs. Ruth Harris, Mrs. W. B. Cuthbertson of Kiowa rehearsed the life of Mrs. Carter. Mrs. W. R. Clement spoke of Mrs. Harris, Congressman Carter and many Confederate Veterans attended the service.

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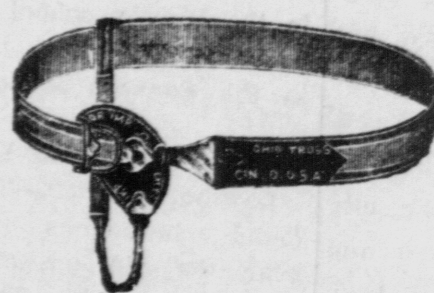
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THOS. P. GORE.  
For Supreme Court Judge:  
R. L. WILLIAMS.  
For Corporation Commissioner:  
A. P. WATSON.  
(Farmer.)  
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C. D. CARTER.  
For Representative Pontotoc County:  
FRANK HUDDLESTON.  
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EDGAR S. RATLIFF.

The Ada band will reflect credit on itself and advertise Ada, while playing music for the ex-Confederate reunion at Sulphur. Ada is justly proud of its most excellent band.

The gallant and brave ex-Confederates in the reunion at Sulphur, this week, will have a grand time, and they will be most hospitably entertained by the generous people of that thriving and progressive city.

And it wasn't Alf Hunter the sheriff had at Kingfisher. It doesn't seem that anybody would be able to identify Hunter. Two negroes who claimed to know Hunter well, said the captured negro, was he, but an officer who also was well acquainted with him, said it was not Hunter, so the sheriff turned the fellow loose.

The democratic national convention will depend upon the dimes of the masses to offset the dollars of the few contributed to the republican fund. And this is a contest between the people and the plutocrats—the former represented by democracy and the latter by republicanism.

Ex-Senator Agee, Ex-Senator Brazell and Ex-Clerk Ham Bee, who were so diligent in saving the state money through the mimeograph process received scant consideration at the hands of the voters in the primaries. All were candidates and all were woefully skinned. Let them get together in one grand love feast.—Stuhrie Leader.

The glee with which the Leader receives the news of Agee's defeat, is explained by the exposure made by the senator of the \$20,000 graft that paper got on the printing done for the constitutional convention.

## YOUNG WOMEN ON ROCK PILE.

Jail at Fort Worth Crowded With Female Violators of the Law.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 9.—Despite protests of the Fort Worth Federation of Women's Clubs, Police Commissioner Geo. Mulkey today put women prisoners to work on the rock pile. No other city in Texas employs this system of punishment now but Mulkey declares the city prisons are filled with women and only the dreaded rock pile will keep them out of jail.

Four women were given large hammers today and worked 10 hours breaking up stones under a torrid sun. Four of the women were white and three were not out of their teens. The hard work exhausted them, but they were forced under the eye of a guard to continue their labors.

## REPUBLICAN EXTRAVAGANCE.

The Monetary Commission Does Not Worry About Money Matters.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The financial doctors who are trying to diagnose the ailments of the currency system are high-priced. If they continue as they have started the job will cost the government a fortune by the time this report is presented to congress.

The monetary commission appointed under the provisions of the Aldrich-Vreeland bill passed at the last session has been at work at Narragansett pier for about two weeks. Already it has sent in bills for expenses for about \$14,000 or at the rate of \$1,000 a day. As the Aldrich-Vreeland bill placed no limit on the amount of money the commission may spend in its investigation the controller of the treasury can do nothing but approve the bills and order them paid. If the expenses of the monetary commission run up to \$1,000 a day while it is holding its sessions at a comparatively unpretentious American summer resort, wonder is expressed here as to what they will be when the members of the commission go abroad to continue the investigation in London, Paris and Berlin.

While at Narragansett the commission had in attendance one of the barbers from the senate barber shop in Washington. No doubt this man will be taken abroad with the commission so that the members may get shaved, shampooed and their hair cut in first class American style and not depend on the pauper labor

## Prehistoric Mastodon Skeleton.

Lawton, Ok., Aug. 8.—The tusks, part of the skull and possibly much of the remaining skeleton of a prehistoric mastodon have been found in the railway gravel pit of an allotment several miles south of Lawton, according to an opinion given out by G. W. Kniseley, a member of the State Geological Survey, who is here on an investigating trip.

The bones, though not petrified, are in comparatively good condition. It is believed that the entire specimen may be secured and preserved.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 4 for Women." It tells of Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. Tells how these soothing, healing, antiseptic supportives, bring quick and certain help. The book is free. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. G. M. Ramsey.

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August time, tells on the nerves. But that spiritless, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course, full health will not immediately return. The pain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "inside nerves" then the stomach, heart, and kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these failing nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly health will be yours again. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, I uniformly cure all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water.

And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real help—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

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It will pay any person in Ada and surrounding country to attend these AUCTION SALES. OUR STOCK IS ALL NEW and STAPLE GOODS, such as every one must buy somewhere. Now why not buy these necessary articles here where you can get them at YOUR OWN PRICE. Private sales every day at less than cost of raw material.

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

Mrs. Paul Allen is visiting in Holdenville.

Fire proof roof paint. Ingram Paint Co., sells it. 109eod2t

Jno. Burns was here from Stonewall today.

Geo. Cox went to Stonewall and returned today.

Some choice novels at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

E. L. Stone and J. W. Jones returned to Tupelo today.

Good roof paint always on hand. 109eod2t INGRAM PAINT CO.

Mrs. S. K. Smith is visiting her daughter in Holdenville.

Post cards, a large stock, at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

G. P. Carney went to Roff today on a business errand.

Photograph Albums at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

J. B. Stewart and little daughter, Miss Wyont, went to Atoka today.

Fruit lemonades at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

Judge C. A. Powers is attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at McAlester.

A sack of good flour \$1.25 at 109-2t TOBIN'S.

Misses Bessie and Jennie Gwaltney left today from their home in Hickman, Tenn.

A slate color roof paint that will stand the sun, rain and fire see P. G. Ingram. 109eod2t

Robt. Hatcher and family of the Bebee country were here en route to Stonewall today.

Jim Bullard returned this morning from a visit at different points on the Santa Fe.

Bibles and testaments at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

W. C. Scott and J. C. Cagle of Konawa, two war horses of the Gray were in Ada this morning en route to the Sulphur reunion.

Mrs. Mary Tolbert and daughter, Miss Rebecca, left today for a visit in Blanco.

Peach seed wanted, 50 cents per bushel. THE ADA NURSERIES. 105-1wkd

W. A. Lindsay and family of Dolburg were in Ada this morning en route to Phillips and McAlester.

I want your cash and you want the goods at close figures so call at 109-2t TOBIN'S.

J. E. Jones and family left today for McAlester, where Mr. Jones will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

J. W. Deand was called to Stonewall this morning to try a case for the justice of the peace.

Mrs. J. W. Hays has returned from an extended visit at the old home in Mississippi.

Mrs. W. C. Duncan and daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned Saturday from a visit in Madril.

Mrs. Emma Lee and daughter of Gainesville are the guests of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. C. Lee.

Those indebted to M. L. Walsh are requested to call and settle accounts at once, else the accounts will be closed. dtf

Thomas Allen left today for Cooville, Tenn., where he will join his family on a month's visit with friends and relatives.

Cnstormers who have permitted their accounts to go past due are requested to call and settle at once or your account will be closed. dtf M. L. WALSH.

R. H. Sustell, one of the leading citizens of the Center neighborhood, was here en route to McAlester to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

L. J. Crowder, the barber, has installed a new cash register which keeps a separate account for each of the four chairs in his shop.

H. J. Bond the full-blood Choctaw Indian County Treasurer of Atoka county, returned to his home from the Center country where he has considerable land holdings.

For Rent. Good 6-room house, newly papered and painted. See John B. Rinard. d110tf

## A Good Man Gone.

Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Hazle, Ok., Rev. R. Shirley, until recently a resident of Pontotoc county, died of paralysis. Bro. Shirley was one of the first settlers in this country and did more to hasten the day when good people wanted to come to Indian Territory, than any other. He was a good man. For years he has labored on his farm in the week days and preached the religion of Jesus Christ on the Sabbath day. When he got his crop in good condition, or "laid by," he would conduct protracted revivals in different sections, and there never was one of his meetings that did not build up, lift up and save. Those who knew him loved him. Those who heard him preach once, would hear him again, for he impressed you as a conscientious man of God. His neighbors loved him best, because they best knew him.

The deceased is a brother of our respected citizen and city councilman, Jack Shirley, and the father of Aaron Shirley at Ahloso and Jim Shirley of Hazle.

The remains of the deceased were brought to the Gear school house cemetery for interment, and laid to rest under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Those attending from here besides the brother, Jack Shirley, were: F. S. Houpt, R. J. Ross, Tom McKeown, G. T. Lancaster, James Caudle and Dick and Doc Couch.

Rev. J. M. Foster of South McAlester officiated.

## Big Crowd to Sulphur.

At the Frisco station this morning there were throngs of people en route to the big Sulphur reunion which begins today and continues three days. The most conspicuous aggregation was the Ada Military Band, who have an engagement of three days to make music for the occasion. The boys were in their new and shiny uniform and made a goodly appearance. Not all the boys could go, but enough if you please, to make the boys of the South throw up their hats when the band begins to play Dixie.

Among the old veterans who went from Ada were: Col. H. C. Pearson, Abe Crow, A. K. Oliver, W. H. Fischer, W. H. Wheeler, J. W. Chisler, Sam H. Hargis, J. J. Hardin, Red Walker, C. C. Jones, C. D. Dunagan and Wm. Edminston. Capt. Rotenberry, prominent citizen from Stratford, was also in the party, also M. Byrd of Stonewall. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. M. Harris, J. W. Bolen, F. J. Etter; Misses Maud and Belle Brents, Robt. Wimlish, Mrs. Will Markham, J. C. Roland, Sam McClure and many others whose names we could not get.

## Married.

This morning at 9:30 C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Miss Laura Welch of Spaulding, Okla., were united in marriage at the Byrd Hotel, Justice Brown officiating. There were several friends of the bride and groom present. Mr. Lovelace is a prominent citizen of Roff and is engaged as traveling salesman for the Roff nursery. The party left at noon for Sulphur where they will spend a few days when they will return to Roff where they will reside.

A. F. Cowling of Cowlington, Ok., who has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jno. McKinney for a few days left this morning for the Sulphur reunion.

Ira B. Barron will on August 18th begin an old-time camp meeting at the Lucy Bennett park at Roff, Ok., and he requests the News to so announce and invite everybody to come. It will continue until Aug. 30.

## Marriage License.

The following were granted license to marry: P. E. King of Lula and Gladys Barnard of Francis, Willie Fisher of Read and Nerve Price of Conway, Dave C. Crabtree of Blackrock and Minnie Broughton of Allen, C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Laura Welch of Spaulding, Emery Whaley and Edna Hendrix of Ada, C. Pierce and R. B. Rose of Center.

## ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

Brother and Sister Victims of Children Holding Guns.

Watonga, Ok., Aug. 8.—Fritz Winters, aged 7, son of an Okeene blacksmith, accidentally shot and killed his 4-year-old sister while they were playing with a shotgun early yesterday.

A similar accident occurred at Wynnewood, where Miss Minnie Tripp, aged 17, was accidentally shot and perhaps fatally injured by her 10-year-old sister, who was playing with a 22-caliber rifle.



## At Mrs. Simpson's.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. W. Simpson entertained at her very pleasant home on West 14th street, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Simpson of Florence, Ala., who is a guest at the Simpson home. Progressive Forty-Two was the feature of the afternoon's entertainment, and delicious refreshments were served to those fortunate enough to be honored as guests of the occasion. Mrs. J. W. Byrd, sister of the hostess, ably and gracefully assisted in the entertainment and comfort of the guests. Out of town guest was Mrs. Foster Simpson of Konawa. Others present were: Mesdames Nethery, Beard Elbert Higgins, Shaw, Meaders, Hale, Ebey, LeFevre, Browall, Hope, Hardin, W. S. Thomson, Rives, Conn, Mays, Gwin, Hill, Allison, Laster, Thornton, H. C. Thompson, Weaver and Miss Nena Thompson. That the entertainment was delightful, is the unanimous opinion of those present.

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## HIS SECRET DIES WITH HIM

Comanche, Ok., Aug. 9.—Death has sealed the lips of Newton Singleton, a farmer 35 years old, who after being shot by an unknown man in the road a few miles east of here, refused to divulge the name of the man who committed the crime. Men were seen riding toward the wagon occupied by Singleton, loud cursing rent the air and people residing nearby heard a gun shot. Presently the wagon was on fire. Then followed the cries of Singleton who said that he had been murdered. The fire was put out and Singleton' wound dressed.

When officers arrived upon the scene a few hours later Singleton was still conscious and told of the affair. When they pressed him for the name of the man who did the shooting he complained that his wound was painning him. He died with his secret in his heart.

## TO RELINQUISH GUARANTY.

National Banks Forbidden to Avail Themselves of State Law.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Comptroller of the Currency Kane has officially notified all national banks of Oklahoma of the opinion rendered by Attorney General Bonaparte that it is illegal for officers of any national banks to enter into any such agreement as is contemplated by section four of the Oklahoma statutes relative to guaranteeing bank deposits, and that persistent and willful action to this effect would mean just cause for forfeiture of its charter.

All national banks which have taken advantage of the law referred to have been required to withdraw from the agreement and to notify the comptroller's office that they have done so.

Constable Lillard of Francis was here today.

Sterling P. Hendrix of Sulphur, an old boyhood friend of Tom Smith's was his guest Sunday.

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Richard Reed Rogers, general counsel of Panama Canal Commission, who accompanied Secretary of War Taft on his recent visit to the isthmus.

## THE "PIE GIRL" IS ALIVE.

ACTOR IN STANFORD WHITE DIN-  
NER NOT DEAD.

Susie Johnson Declares Money Was  
Paid Her to Disappear from  
View—Tells How Feast  
Was Planned.

New York.—"The Girl in the Pie," who figured so prominently in the amazing revelations of upper life in New York's Bohemia a few years ago and who was reported to have died of consumption, is alive and literally kicking. Susie Johnson—such is her name—did not get married, did not die

of consumption and was not buried in Potter's field, as was alleged when the notorious pie incident was brought up during the first trial of Harry Thaw for the murder of Stanford White.

White was one of the diners at the celebrated dinner given by "Jimmy" Breesee, at which the high fliers of New York's rapid set were present. He became much interested in Susie Johnson after she made her sensational exit from the big pie in which she was concealed at the now historic carouse.

A world-wide search was made for her when the matter came up during the Thaw trial, but she was not found.

A reporter the other day met the young woman, who is hale and extremely hearty.

"Why did you not contradict those reports of your marriage, desertion and pathetic death?" asked the reporter.

"Money," replied the pie girl placidly as she slipped off her dancing slipper and shook out an ordinary bit of sand. "Money," she repeated thoughtfully. "The same money that makes men take long chances down on Wall street, the same money that makes them sacrifice fame and friends, the same money that makes Mr. Rockefeller happy and Mr. Carnegie build libraries kept Susie Johnson, the girl in the pie, out of sight. I was doing pretty well, thank you, by just keeping still. But now the time for keeping still is past. I just want to say that a lot of stuff published about me was not true.

"No reporter has ever talked to me. I was spirited away when that dinner broke up and no one, not even my own parents, saw me for a long, long time. Perhaps other girls represented themselves as Susie Johnson and did the talking. I never did. They said I was married and that my husband, brooding over my role in that famous dinner, went nearly insane and deserted me. I never married. They said I had consumption. I have never been ill a day. And you'll admit I'm very much alive.

"Now that my lips are unsealed, I am willing enough to talk. My memory for dates is not very clear, but I think that dinner was given in May, 1895. I had been posing for various artists, head and figure, and was just 15 years of age. Henry C. Poor gave the dinner in honor of a business friend, whose name I do not remember, in the studio of James L. Breesee on Sixteenth street.

"I think Robert Reid planned the dinner and Mr. Poor footed the bills, because it was Mr. Reid who engaged me and told me what a great event it was to be. One hundred and fifty quarts of champagne, he said, had been ordered, and the dinner was to cost \$100 per plate without the wine.

"He rehearsed me very carefully for the part I was to play. You see, I had posed for him very often and he knew just what to expect of me. He bought a great shallow pan or tub, just big enough to hold me, and had a cover of crust baked for it. Then the crust was very carefully lifted off, I was put inside and the cover laid over me. My shoulders were draped with black gauze and a blackbird such as you put on a hat was fastened in my hair, which hung down around my shoulders. In my hand I carried a box filled with tiny birds. As soon as the crust was cut I took the lid off this box and out flew the birds. Then I popped up into view."

## WOMEN'S SENSE OF BEAUTY.

This Is Chief Cause of Their Extravagance in Dress.

"Modern women are extravagant," says Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, "but it is the conditions of our modern life, with its loss of personal independence, which are to blame for this extravagance."

Mrs. Richards teaches in the Institute of Technology and is deeply interested in educational questions, particularly those which relate to economic and industrial training, but before everything else Mrs. Richards is a gracious, charming lady who moves among the glass flasks and Bunsen burners of her chemical laboratory with the same poise and dignity which her mother probably showed in the linen room 50 years ago, says the Boston Herald. So one isn't surprised to find that while the tech teacher realizes perfectly all the temptations which the modern woman is heir to, her plea is not the overcoming of these temptations by mannish disregard of all pretty things, but rather a return to the old, beautiful ideals of living, which recognized primarily that things were not really "pretty" unless they were also "good."

She compared the women of to-day and of 50 years ago as regards the quantity and the quality of their dresses.

"Did you never hear of the judge's wife in one of our Massachusetts towns," she asked, "who had only three gowns?"

Her gray eyes smiled quietly as she watched the astonishment of her twentieth century listener, and she continued in calm enjoyment:

"Yes, she had her morning gown, in which she did her housework—linsey woolsey, I suppose it was, spun by herself—and she had the gown which she wore for calls and at church, and then she had her beautiful brocade, heavy and rich and splendid—why, it would stand alone! And it cost a great deal, because it was such a lovely thing; but she wore it and wore it and handed it down to her daughter and even now it's the most precious dress of the daughter's daughter.

"But compare with that inventory the gowns of a woman of to-day. She must have her morning dress, which she can never wear in the afternoon; she must have gowns for street wear, for dinners, for receptions, for dances, for lectures. And yet—she hasn't one really nice dress out of the lot—how can she, when she must have so many?"

"It's this desire for the show of things and not for the real goodness underneath that is the greatest extravagance of modern women," declared Mrs. Richards with increasing fervor. "Instead of getting one nice gown which will last for years and years, we get these slazy stuffs which pull to pieces before the season is over. And the reason is that our sense of beauty is defective."

## Height of Great Men.

The duke of Wellington has always been a mystery. I have read that he was six feet four inches tall. I have read also that he was only five feet six inches. Historians tell us he was anywhere from five feet six inches to five feet eleven inches. There are some things, seemingly very simple which it is impossible to establish; this is one of them. Historians are still guessing the height of Julius Caesar, the size of Hannibal's head, the weight of Alexander the Great and the general dimensions of Solomon. Why, we are not even sure of the stature of George Washington. It might be believed that Napoleon, Alexander the Great and Jay Gould were of the same size, three bumptious little chaps. And it is common belief that Charlemagne, Erling the Bold, Frederick the Great, Robert Bruce, Sir William Wallace, Gen. Winfield Scott and Richard Coeur de Lion were all top-notchers, "Old Fuss and Feathers," formed in the prodigality of nature, leading in girth and weight.—N. Y. Press.

## Dictionary Users Modest.

"Men are never so modest as when they go to use a dictionary," remarked an attendant at the public library. "As a rule when you see a man go to a public dictionary or one in any place where other people are around, you'll see him look around furtively as if in fear somebody might see him. Men who make no pretensions at having any great amount of knowledge nevertheless seem to be embarrassed to have any one think that they do not know the pronunciation or meaning of some English word. The next time you see a man looking up a word in the dictionary, just ask him what it is he is looking up, and see if he will tell you. You'll find in at least nine cases out of ten that he won't tell. He's afraid you'll know it and have the fun of enlightening him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Willing, However.

The bachelor clergyman was showing a woman visitor through his church.

"Now, madam," he said, "you have seen the organ, the font and the nave. With your permission, I will now conduct you to the altar."

"Oh," she exclaimed after the manner of her kind, "this is so sudden!"

## Still Had Hopes.

"Say," queried the Wise Guy, "don't you ever get discouraged in trying to get something for nothing?"

"Now," replied the granger, who had just invested in his twenty-third gold brick, "I've noticed th' other fellers gits his that way, an' mebbe in th' course uv time I'll be th' other feller."

## GIVES HUSBAND TO A NURSE.

Woman Selects Successor in Spirit of Gratitude.

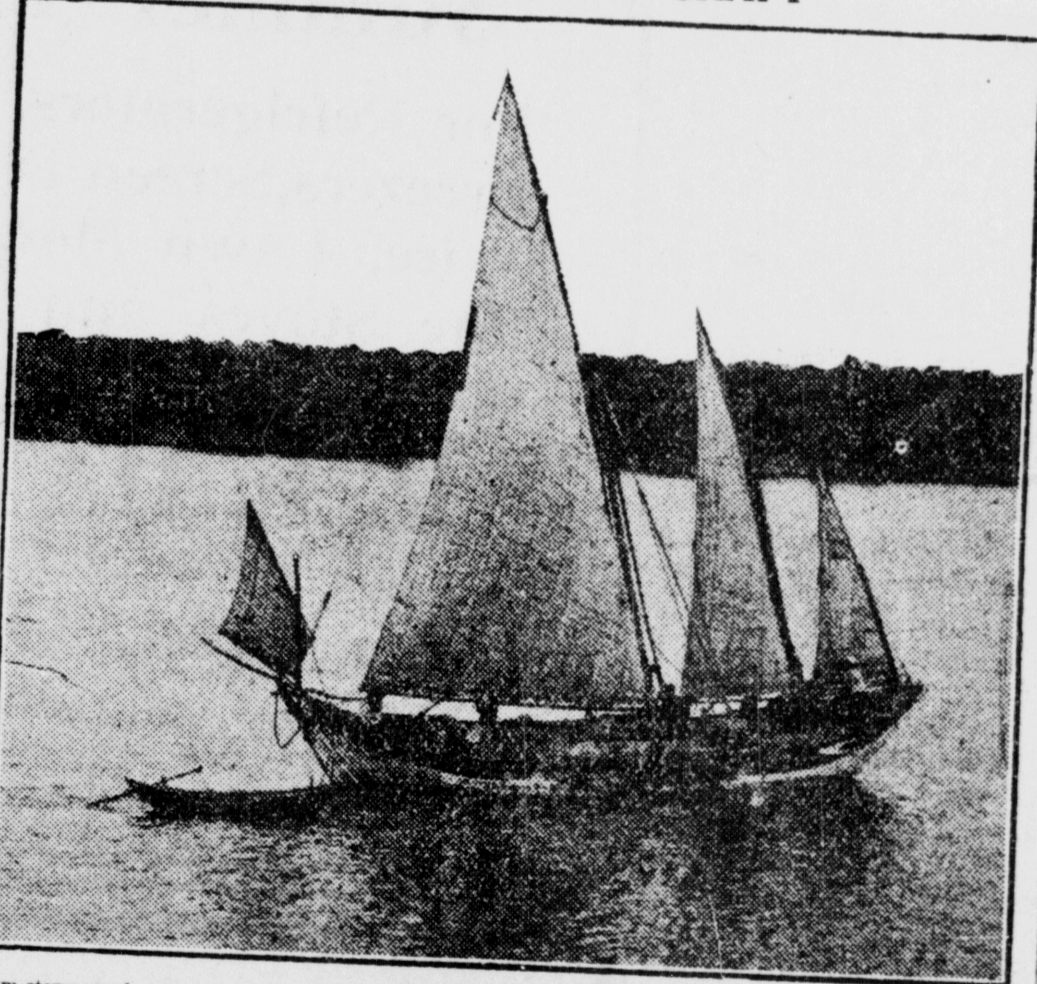
Mount Holly, N. J.—Mrs. Carmine Pallante, wife of a well-to-do resident of Mount Holly, died six months ago after a prolonged illness. Angela Izzi and Christina Izzi, her daughter, of Philadelphia, nursed the woman.

The tender ministrations of the mother, Angela, so endeared the woman to Mrs. Pallante that, when she knew death was near, she chose Mrs. Izzi as her successor in the affections of her husband.

With her dying words she declared that she was happy in the thought that her husband would have a good wife after she died.

The public was in ignorance of the episode until recently, when the news was made public by Pallante, when he married Mrs. Izzi.

## AN ODD SAILING CRAFT



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Scene near the Strait Settlements, Southeastern India.

that had been born with separate entities, and Mrs. Grinnell, for fear of having them die of malnutrition, drowned them.

Once it was bruited about that Tabby had given birth to a bunch of kittens all tied together, not only the neighbors called to see the monstrosity, but even the neighbors' cats. For a whole week all of the neighbors' cats congregated in Mrs. Grinnell's back yard and cellar to view Tabby's funny little ones, and to discuss the phenomenon in their feline way.

Mrs. Grinnell became very much annoyed at the notoriety given her

premises by the Tabby family, and she straightway summoned her nephew, who happens to be an undertaker, and bade him dispatch the quartet of kittens. And now Mrs. Grinnell is seriously considering ending the existence of Tabby herself, for ever since she arrived at maturity the cat has been doing some funny "stunt" like this. Indeed, she is seemingly beyond reform. This, however, Mrs. Grinnell will say in her favor, she is a champion rat catcher. The extra claws with which she is equipped seem to stand her in good stead whenever she goes a-ratting.

## CAT HAS ODD LITTER

SURPRISING PROGENY BORNE BY  
MALTESE TABBY.

Kittens Tied in Knot Like Double  
Siamese Twins—Mother Possessed of Peculiarities But Is Good Rat Catcher.

Brooklyn.—Tabby, a fine maltese cat, besides being a source of great comfort to her mistress, Mrs. Grinnell of 598 Lafayette avenue, is really an extraordinary and uncommon creature. She can be counted on once every six months to produce a sensation.

Ever since one Sunday morning she has had all the neighborhood agog. The fame of her latest exploit has spread to remote parts of the borough.

Tabby gave birth to a most remarkable litter of kittens. Three of them had each seven toes on their forefeet and five on their hind feet; but this is or was not to be wondered at, for Tabby herself is possessed of these peculiarities.

The remaining four, wonderful to relate, were all tied in a knot. They were veritably like the Siamese twins, twice over. How they nursed and how they lived a whole week, and might have been living yet had not Mrs. Grinnell humanely ended their complicated existence, is a modern wonder.

There were four separate and distinct bodies, and from four pairs of dusty lungs they gave forth lusty meows, and with their legs they pushed and pawed each other in futile attempts to get apart. And the bewildered mother also tried to separate them. She was so much concerned about her strange offspring that she paid no attention at all to the three

## New Birds for the Mountains.

Denver Man Brings Them All the Way from Sweden.

Denver, Col.—Two strange birds have arrived in Denver, having journeyed all the way from Sweden. Now they are domiciled in the city park. If the plans of their owner, W. F. Kendrick, succeed, they will be the progenitors of a new race of birds in the Colorado mountains.

They are the capercaillie, pronounced caper-keel-zi, and are the size of a small turkey. In habits they are much like grouse and ptarmigan. They thrive best at timber line, and subsist on pine, spruce and hemlock boughs and mountain berries.

Mr. Kendrick, who is tremendously interested in birds and animals, has had an ambition for some time to start

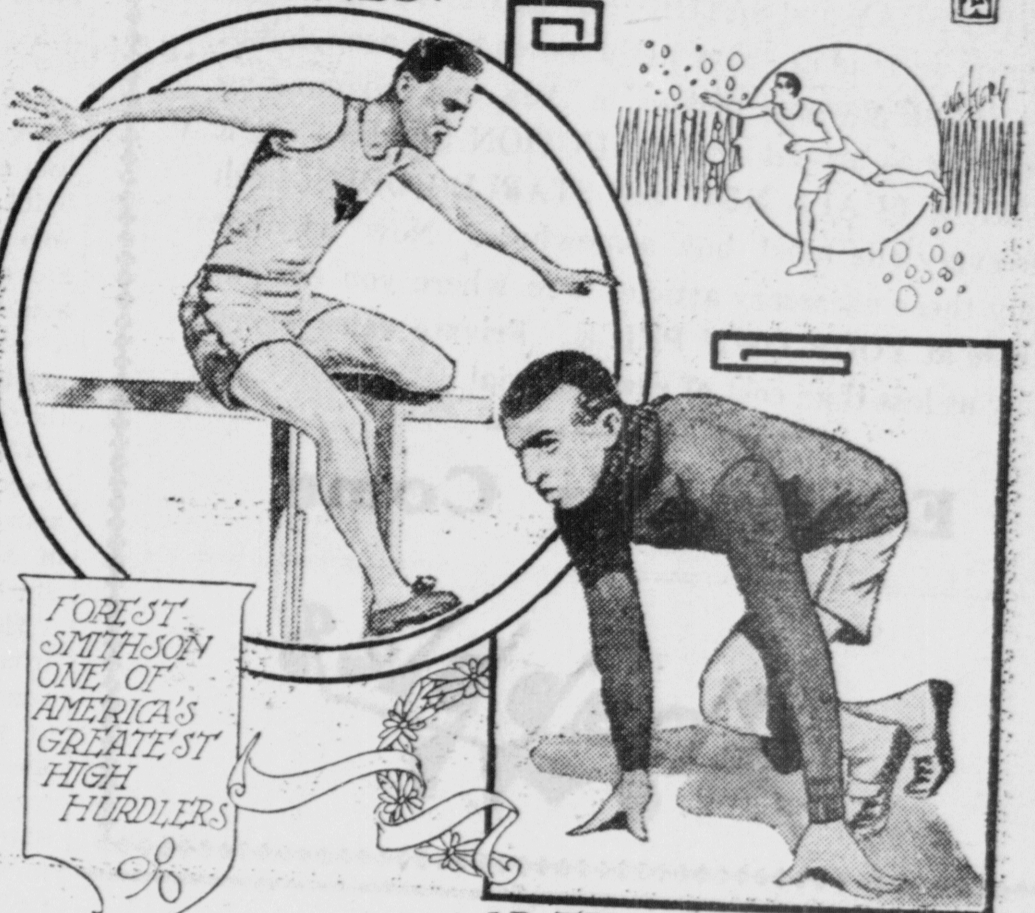
the breeding of these birds in Colorado because of their rarity and beauty. He has already bred and liberated thousands of pheasants, but the capercaillie were hard to get. For months he has had a commission in Sweden for two perfect birds. As the result of this order, the two arrived recently.

The capercaillie is almost as large as and similar in habits to the American wild turkey, with the advantage that it can endure much more severe hardships and cold weather, and will live on food such as is obtainable from the treetops, if necessary, when the ground is deeply covered with snow.

Mr. Kendrick will keep the birds at the park until they breed, his plan being to take the young to the most suitable places in the mountains and liberate them.

# OLYMPIAD at LONDON

AMERICAN ATHLETES TO MEET WORLD RIVALS.



J.B. TAYLOR, CHAMPION QUARTER-MILE RUNNER

One of the greatest contests in the history of sport will mark the Franco-British exposition in London this summer, when the Olympian games, which have been a growing feature each succeeding year since their revival, will be held. Thousands and thousands of lovers of track and field athletics will crowd this immense arena, the largest in the world. It is expected that the tiers upon tiers of solid concrete seats able to accommodate 58,000 people will be filled, that 25,000 more will fill the available standing room, while down on the cinder path the greatest runners and athletes of the world will strain every muscle and sinew to win glory and honor, and it is confidently expected that American contestants will give a good accounting of themselves and will be able to carry off their share of the prizes.

That this country has every reason to expect great things of her athletes one has only to consider the list of men who have been selected to enter the contests. It is without any doubt the best and largest body of athletes ever sent out by any country to capture the championship of the world. The success of the American team at Athens two years ago surprised even its most ardent supporters. The victory was clean cut and decisive. That team was not the best this country could produce. A new system of selecting men has been tried this year, and the Stars and Stripes will be carried by the cream of this country's athletes.

There never was a time when America could boast of such athletes as she has at present. Now almost every one, from the primary schoolboy to the college senior, is interested in athletics, and consequently rapid strides have been made in running, jumping and weight throwing.

Everything will favor the English athletes. They will be on their own soil, climatic conditions will be in their favor and they will escape a long and possibly rough ocean voyage and a week in which training will be carried on under great disadvantages. The Americans must meet and overcome all these handicaps.

Will America win the Olympic championship? Nearly every one who has followed track and field athletics at all closely in this country will reply in the affirmative and immediately ask "Who can beat us?" More than seventy-five men will compose the American team. They will come from all parts of the country—north, south, east and west. Nearly a dozen nationalities will be represented, an Indian from the government school, a Greek, Germans, plenty of Irish, a Swede, some French and Italian descendants and a negro. The majority of the team will be native-born Americans.

America's greatest athletes seem to be of Irish descent, and a glance at the names of the members will prove this. Here are a few of them: Flanagan, Sheridan, McGrath, O'Connell, Morrissey and Hayes. And nearly all of these will be point winners.

At the head of the team will be the greatest physical trainer in this country, if not the world, "Mike" Murphy, who now handles the athletes of the University of Pennsylvania. He has spent a lifetime in this work, and is a wizard in developing and determining the ability of a runner or jumper. "Mike," as he is known, will have a big job attending to 75 high-strung human thoroughbreds, but there is no man more capable of sending them to the mark in the pink of condition than he.

Many of the members of the team are college men, both students and graduates. Some of the universities and colleges which will be represented are Pennsylvania, Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Cornell, Dartmouth, Michigan, Leland Stanford, Chicago, Illinois, Virginia and Swarthmore. Some of the college athletes have just completed their freshman year, while others are graduates of six years' standing.

Every man on the team is an amateur with not the slightest taint of professionalism. In selecting the men

the first thing before the American Olympic committee was to determine whether or not the candidate was above all suspicion and could meet the high requirements demanded of all entrants. Every man on the team is a contestant for pure love of sport and the glory and health to be derived from it.

It is of interest to consider the ability and records of a few of the men. Every country will admit American sprinters are the best. In every contest requiring speed and agility our athletes are supreme. The two dashes—100 and 200 meter races—will undoubtedly be won by Americans.

America's greatest runner for the 400-meter race is a negro—J. B. Taylor of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a slow starter and early in the race always seems to be hopelessly beaten, but he finishes with a wonderful burst of speed and is rarely defeated. America should win this race. To help Taylor there will be "Jack" Atlee of Princeton, J. C. Carpenter of Cornell, N. A. Merriam of Chicago, and three or four others if they are needed.

For the 800-meter race, which corresponds to our 880, we have probably the fastest man in the world at this distance. He is Melvin W. Sheppard of the Irish-American club, a young runner who has been breaking records since his schoolboy days, only a few years back.

When the 1,500-meter race is reached, we come to England's specialty. The Britons are the greatest distance runners in the world. They have wonderful power of endurance, and their bulldog grit carries them to victory in long contests. But America is now coming to the front, and it would be no surprise to see the plucky Britons beaten at their own game this year.

The Marathon race of 25 miles is the most gruelling contest on the Olympic program. America may not win, but T. P. Morrissey, a resident of Yonkers, will surely be well up at the finish, with a good chance of carrying off the laurel wreath.

The timber-toppers, or hurdle racers, of America have no equal the world over. Three of those who will go to England have run in world's record time. They are A. B. Shaw of Dartmouth, Johnny Garrells of Michigan, and Forest C. Smithson of Oregon. These men should sweep the card.

Ray C. Ewry of the New York Athletic club has been winning the standing high and broad jumps at Olympic games longer than some of the members of the American team have been in athletics. There is no one who can approach his records. He will undoubtedly win ten points for America. In the running high jump we have two men who have cleared six feet two inches or better. They are H. F. Porter of the Irish-American Athletic club and Tom Moffitt, formerly of Pennsylvania. One of them should win in the stadium, but it is just possible America will finish second in this event.

One of our best broad jumpers is Frank Mountpleasant, an Indian from the Carlisle school. He has a good record, as has E. T. Cook of Cornell and Dan Kelly of the Irish-American Athletic club, both of whom will accompany him on the trip.

America's weight throwers are in a class by themselves. Ralph Rose, a young western giant, holds nearly all records with the shot; John Flanagan, Mike McGrath and Martin Sheridan, all New York policemen, hold many records with the hammer and discus.

It will be a great surprise if America does not win the pole vault, for she has A. C. Gilbert of Yale, the world's record holder, and Walter Dray, his teammate, the former record holder. There are other men on the team who can vault 12 feet or higher.

There are several other contests on the Olympic program, but this completes the list with which this country is familiar. For the swimming events, America will depend on C. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic club, the world's record holder.

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## FINANCES BEING CONSIDERED

### Chairmen Mack and Wetmore and Trsasurer Haskell Devising Plans to Raise Money.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 9.—Ways and means of financing the democratic national campaign were discussed at length today at a meeting of Chairman Mack of the national committee, Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the committee, Col. Moses C. Wetmore of St. Louis chairman of the finance committee, and Millard E. Dunlap of Illinois former treasurer of the national committee. No definite decision was reached and the question of raising a fund of sufficient proportions to maintain an effective three months' campaign will be brought up for solution at a meeting of the various heads of the committees tomorrow.

#### Thinks Shocks Forthcoming.

Neither Gov. Haskell nor Col. Wetmore have formed any definite plan for raising a campaign fund, although both are confident that the committee will not lack funds to meet all legal expenses of a presidential fight. While the suggestion has been made that a fund of \$500,000 would be sought, both Governor Haskell and Col. Wetmore declared that no definite sum had been settled upon. After an informal meeting

on the financial proposition today Gov. Haskell said:

"I have every confidence that the committee will obtain all the funds needed to wage a hard fight for Mr. Bryan, although as yet no plan has been determined upon. I have made no appeals for money, but have already received \$19,000, which came unsolicited. No definite sum has been fixed for a fund, which, in our party, must be collected from the plain people."

#### Committee Will Meet.

Col. Wetmore said he would call a meeting of the finance committee at once to devise some way to secure money.

"This is a democratic year," said Col. Wetmore, "and the republicans will need dollars, where we need dimes. Of course the republicans will get their funds from corporations, multimillionaires and federal officeholders, just as they have always done, but we must get our money from those who have but little to spare, no matter how willing their spirit may be. If we can get money enough to run a good campaign Bryan will be elected. Raising money is no easy task, and if anyone covets my job and thinks he can do better he can have it."

## RUSH FOR MINOR'S LANDS

### Soon as That Easier Acquired is all Bought.—Nearly Half Indian Land Belongs to Minors.

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 8.—Judges of county courts in the 40 counties of Eastern Oklahoma will be the busiest men in the state during the next six months. They will have to order the sale, advertise for bids and pass upon the transfer of every tract of land owned by minor Indians who wish to sell, and most of them will want to sell at least a part of their land.

In the first rush for land the buyers could not take the time to fool with a court order that embraced the advertisement for 30 days for bids and opened the land to competition. But as soon as the rush is over they will turn their attention to minor land.

No Indian child can sell its land

without the consent of its guardian and the approval of the county court wherein the land is situated. Before the court can approve the sale he must advertise for bids on the land in order to see that the child gets all the land is worth. Then he approves or rejects the sale. But in this procedure there can be no question but what the purchaser is getting the only deed to the land and that his title will be absolutely good when the court puts its seal on the transfer.

Nearly half the Indian allotments in old Indian Territory are owned by minors. This large percentage is due to late laws which admitted Indian children to the rolls after the time for closing the rolls had been officially set. Thousands came in under what is known as the "new born" clause in the Creek, Cherokee, Choctaw and Chickasaw nations.

### EX-CONFEDES ARE AT SULPHUR

Sulphur, Ok., Aug. 9.—For three days the Trans-Mississippi Confederate Generals have been marshalling their troops and forwarding them to Sulphur, where they will Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday join the Confederates of Old Indian Territory and Old Oklahoma in their great State reunion. Gen. W. L. Cabell and staff of Dallas, Lieutenant General, commander of the Trans-Mississippi department, arrived this evening over the Frisco, at the head of a large body of troops. "Old Tige" and his troops were met at the station by the local camp and marched to the Artesian Hotel. Confederate headquarters, to the music of life and drum. Arriving at the reunion headquarters "Dixie" was played, which stirred the old soldiers to wild enthusiasm and caused them to turn loose their old-time rebel yell and battle cry. The sons and daughters and a great throng of citizens and visitors gathered on the streets to see Gen. Cabell march in at the head of his troops. This crowd caught the infection, and they, too, yelled, giving greater and greater volume to the old Con-

federat battle cry.

On account of Gen. Dr. M. Halley being Oklahoma's delegate on the Bryan notification committee and the necessity of the general being in Lincoln Wednesday to render Oklahoma's part in the formal notification of Mr. Bryan of his nomination for the presidency, the Old Indian Territory and the Old Oklahoma divisions will be dissolved by resolution tomorrow morning instead of Tuesday. The consolidation of the two divisions will immediately follow, Gen. Cabell presiding.

The Oklahoma and Indian Territory divisions of the United Daughters of the Confederacy having concluded their respective conventions met Saturday evening in the parlors of the Artesian in joint session, and elected officers.

#### Memorial Services.

Memorial services were held in the opera house this afternoon for Mrs. Serena Carter, mother of Congressman Carter, and for Mrs. Ruth Harris. Mrs. W. B. Cuthbertson of Kiowa rehearsed the life of Mrs. Carter. Mrs. W. R. Clement spoke of Mrs. Harris, Congressman Carter and many Confederate Veterans attended the service.

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It has been customary never to carry goods over from one season to another. By this idea when the new season comes it gives us a brand new stock with all the new models of the season.

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Our \$10.00 Suits less 25 per cent \$ 7.50  
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Panama hats and the straight rim shapes all go now at clearance prices.

Low cut Douglas shoes at clearance prices:

The \$4.00 low cuts at \$3.50  
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Soft negligees, all kind styles and colors from 65c to 3.50

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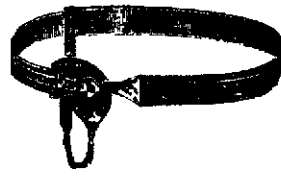
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## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

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JNO. W. KERN.

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THOS. P. GORE.

For Supreme Court Judge:

R. L. WILLIAMS.

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C. D. CARTER.

For Representative Pontotoc County:

FRANK HUDDLESTON.

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EDGAR S. RATLIFF.

The Ada band will reflect credit on itself and advertise Ada, while playing music for the ex-Confederate reunion at Sulphur. Ada is justly proud of its most excellent band.

The gallant and brave ex-Confederates in the reunion at Sulphur, this week, will have a grand time, and they will be most hospitably entertained by the generous people of that thriving and progressive city.

And it wasn't Alf Hunter the sheriff had at Kingfisher. It doesn't seem that anybody would be able to identify Hunter. Two negroes who claimed to know Hunter well, said the captured negro, was he, but an officer who also was well acquainted with him, said it was not Hunter, so the sheriff turned the fellow loose.

The democratic national convention will depend upon the dimes of the masses to offset the dollars of the few contributors to the republican fund. And this is a contest between the people and the plutocrats—the former represented by democracy and the latter by republicanism.

Ex-Senator Agce, Ex-Senator Brazell and Ex-Clerk Ham Bee, who were so diligent in saving the state money through the mimeograph process received scant consideration at the hands of the voters in the primaries. All were candidates and all were woefully skinned. Let them get together in one grand love feast—Guthrie Leader.

The glew with which the Leader receives the news of Agce's defeat, is explained by the exposure made by the senator of the \$30,000 graft that paper got on the printing done for the constitutional convention.

## YOUNG WOMEN ON ROCK PILE.

Jail at Fort Worth Crowded With Female Violators of the Law.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 9.—Despite protests of the Fort Worth Federation of Women's Clubs, Police Commissioner Geo. Mulkey today put women prisoners to work on the rock pile. No other city in Texas employs this system of punishment now but Mulkey declares the city prisons are filled with women and only the dreaded rock pile will keep them out of jail.

On women were given large hammers today and worked 10 hours breaking up stones under a torrid sun. The women were white and there were not but of their teens. The hard work exhausted them, but they were forced under the eye of a guard to continue their labors.

## The Monetary Commission Does Not Worry About Money Matters.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The financial doctors who are trying to diagnose the ailments of the currency system are high-priced. If they continue as they have started the job will cost the government a fortune by the time this report is presented to congress.

The monetary commission appointed under the provisions of the Aldrich-Vreeland bill passed at the last session has been at work at Narragansett pier for about two weeks. Already it has sent in bills for expenses for about \$14,000 or at the rate of \$1,000 a day. As the Aldrich-Vreeland bill placed no limit on the amount of money the commission may spend in its investigation the controller of the treasury can do nothing but approve the bills and order them paid. If the expenses of the monetary commission run up to \$1,000 a day while it is holding its sessions at a comparatively unpretentious American summer resort, wonder is expressed here as to what they will be when the members of the commission go abroad to continue the investigation in London, Paris and Berlin.

While at Narragansett the commission had in attendance one of the barbers from the senate barber shop in Washington. No doubt this man will be taken abroad with the commission so that the members may get shaved, shampooed and their hair cut in first class American style and not depend on the pauper labor

## Prehistoric Mastodon Skeleton.

Lawton, Ok., Aug. 8.—The tusks, part of the skull and possibly much of the remaining skeleton of a prehistoric mastodon have been found in the railway gravel pit of an allotment several miles south of Lawton, according to an opinion given out by G. W. Kniseley, a member of the State Geological Survey, who is here on an investigating trip.

The bones, though not petrified, are in comparatively good condition. It is believed that the entire specimen may be secured and preserved.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 1 for Women." It tells of Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. Tells how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories, bring quick and certain help. The book is free. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. G. M. Ramsey.

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It is absolutely necessary for you to kill the screw worms when your stock or dog becomes infected with them or death will be the result of your neglect.

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oftimes in poor speculations that give him no satisfaction and no returns for his money. Recent developments have proven that real estate is the only solid investment for money. If you buy one of the vacant lots that we are now offering you not only have a good safe investment, but one that improves in value daily.

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Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocer's everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc., have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderful satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. R. S. Tobin.

August time, tells on the nerves. But that spiritless, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course, full health will not immediately return. The pain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "inside nerves" then the stomach, heart, and kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these failing nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly health will be yours again. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## How's This.

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY, Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him. W. L. KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle.

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Take Dr. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism. Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn boys grown back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease. In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism, but now, at last, I uniformly cure all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. These sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And thus when Rheumatism is cured, the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer with Rheumatism. We sell, and in confidence recommend

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## NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County. Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of Nany I. Sawyers, deceased, that on the 5th day of Aug. 1908, J. M. Sawyers produced and filed in the County Court of the County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, an instrument in writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Nany I. Sawyers, deceased, and also filed in said Court his petition praying for the probate of said Will, and that letters of administration issued thereon to J. M. Sawyers, and that said petition will be heard at the Court room of said Court in the city of Ada, in said County and State on the 18th day of Aug. 1908, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., of said day when and where all persons interested can appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County, this 5th day of Aug. 1908. (Seal.) JOEL TERRELL, County Judge.

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Half gallon size, per doz. 75c.  
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SAY—We are looking for another car of that wonderful

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It is the fastest seller in Ada.

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On account of the extremely hot weather, and also the suggestion of our customers, we have decided to hold our AUCTION SALE every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY NIGHTS at 8 o'clock sharp, instead of every night as we have been doing.

It will pay any person in Ada and surrounding country to attend these AUCTION SALES. OUR STOCK IS ALL NEW and STAPLE GOODS, such as every one must buy somewhere. Now why not buy these necessary articles here where you can get them at YOUR OWN PRICE. Private sales every day at less than cost of raw material.

Everybody Come

Chapples

## PERSONAL COLUMN

Mrs. Paul Allen is visiting in Holdenville.

Fire proof roof paint. Ingram Paint Co., sells it. 109eod2t

Jno. Burns was here from Stonewall today.

Geo. Cox went to Stonewall and returned today.

Some choice novels at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

E. L. Stone and J. W. Jones returned to Tupelo today.

Good roof paint always on hand. 109eod2t INGRAM PAINT CO.

Mrs. S. K. Smith is visiting her daughter in Holdenville.

Post cards, a large stock, at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

G. P. Carney went to Roff today on a business errand.

Photograph Albums at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

J. B. Stewart and little daughter, Miss Wyant, went to Atoka today.

Fruit lemonades at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

Judge C. A. Powers is attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at McAlester.

A sack of good flour \$1.25 at 109-2t TOBIN'S.

Misses Bessie and Jennie Gwaltney left today from their home in Hickman, Tenn.

A slate color roof paint that will stand the sun, rain and fire see P. G. Ingram. 109eod2t

Robt. Hatcher and family of the Bebee country were here en route to Stonewall today.

Jim Bullard returned this morning from a visit at different points on the Santa Fe.

Bibles and testaments at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

W. C. Scott and J. C. Cagle of Konawa, two war horses of the Gray were in Ada this morning en route to the Sulphur reunion.

Mrs. Mary Tolbert and daughter, Miss Rebecca, left today for a visit in Blanco.

Peach seed wanted, 50 cents per bushel. THE ADA NURSERIES. 105-1wktd

W. A. Lindsay and family of Dolburg were in Ada this morning en route to Phillips and McAlester.

I want your cash and you want the goods at close figures so call at 109-2t TOBIN'S.

J. E. Jones and family left today for McAlester, where Mr. Jones will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

J. W. Deand was called to Stonewall this morning to try a case for the justice of the peace.

Mrs. J. W. Hays has returned from an extended visit at the old home in Mississippi.

Mrs. W. C. Duncan and daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned Saturday from a visit in Madrid.

Mrs. Emma Lee and daughter of Gainesville are the guests of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. C. Lee.

Those indebted to M. L. Walsh are requested to call and settle accounts at once, else the accounts will be closed. dtt

Thomas Allen left today for Cooville, Tenn., where he will join his family on a month's visit with friends and relatives.

Customers who have permitted their accounts to go past due are requested to call and settle at once or your account will be closed. dtt M. L. WALSH.

R. H. Sustell, one of the leading citizens of the Center neighborhood, was here en route to McAlester to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

L. J. Crowder, the barber, has installed a new cash register which keeps a separate account for each of the four chairs in his shop.

H. J. Bond the full-blood Choctaw Indian County Treasurer of Atoka county, returned to his home from the Center country where he has considerable land holdings.

### For Rent.

Good 6-room house, newly papered and painted. See John B. Rhoad, d110tt

### A Good Man Gone.

Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Hazle, Ok., Rev. R. Shirley, until recently a resident of Pontotoc county, died of paralysis. Bro. Shirley was one of the first settlers in this country and did more to hasten the day when good people wanted to come to Indian Territory, than any other. He was a good man. For years he has labored on his farm in the week days and preached the religion of Jesus Christ on the Sabbath day. When he got his crop in good condition, or "laid by," he would conduct protracted revivals in different sections, and there never was one of his meetings that did not build up, lift up and save. Those who knew him loved him. Those who heard him preach once, would hear him again, for he impressed you as a conscientious man of God. His neighbors loved him best, because they best knew him.

The deceased is a brother of our respected citizen and city councilman, Jack Shirley, and the father of Aaron Shirley at Ailoso and Jim Shirley of Hazel.

The remains of the deceased were brought to the Gear school house cemetery for interment, and laid to rest under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Those attending from here besides the brother, Jack Shirley, were: F. S. Hought, R. J. Ross, Tom McKeown, G. T. Lancaster, James Caudle and Dick and Doc Couch.

Rev. J. M. Foster of South McAlester officiated.

### Big Crowd to Sulphur.

At the Frisco station this morning there were throngs of people en route to the big Sulphur reunion which begins today and continues three days. The most conspicuous aggregation was the Ada Military Band, who have an engagement of three days to make music for the occasion. The boys were in their new and shiny uniform and made a goodly appearance. Not all the boys could go, but enough if you please, to make the boys of the South throw up their hats when the band begins to play Dixie.

Among the old veterans who went from Ada were: Col. H. C. Pearson, Abe Crow, A. K. Oliver, W. H. Fischer, W. H. Wheeler, J. W. Chisler, Sam H. Hargis, J. J. Hardin, Red Walker, C. C. Jones, C. D. Dunagan and Wm. Edmonston. Capt. Rottenberry, prominent citizen from Stratford, was also in the party, also M. Byrd of Stonewall. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris, J. W. Bolen, E. J. Elter, Misses Maud and Belle Brents, Robt. Winkish, Mrs. Wm. Markham, J. C. Roland, Sam McClure and many others whose names we could not get.

### Married.

This morning at 9:30 C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Miss Laura Welch of Spaulding, Okla., were united in marriage at the Byrd Hotel, Justice Brown officiating. There were several friends of the bride and groom present. Mr. Lovelace is a prominent citizen of Roff and is engaged as traveling salesman for the Roff nursery. The party left at noon for Sulphur where they will spend a few days when they will return to Roff where they will reside.

A. F. Cowling of Cowlington, Ok., who has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jno. McKinney for a few days left this morning for the Sulphur reunion.

Ira B. Barron will on August 18th begin an old-time camp meeting at the Lucy Bennett park at Roff, Ok., and he requests the News to so announce and invite everybody to come, it will continue until Aug. 30.

### Marriage License.

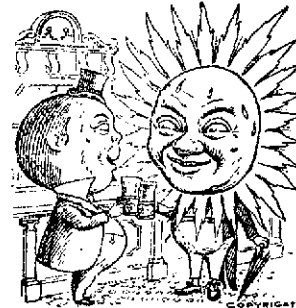
The following were granted license to marry: P. E. King of Lula and Gladys Barnard of Francis. Willie Fisher of Read and Nervie Price of Conway, Dave C. Crabtree of Blackrock and Minnie Broughton of Allen, C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Laura Welch of Spaulding, Emery Whaley and Edna Hendrix of Ada, C. Pierce and R. B. Rose of Center.

### ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

Brother and Sister Victims of Children Holding Guns.

Watonga, Ok., Aug. 8.—Fritz Winters, aged 7, son of an Okeene blacksmith, accidentally shot and killed his 4-year-old sister while they were playing with a shotgun early yesterday.

A similar accident occurred at Wynnewood, where Miss Minnie Tripp, aged 17, was accidentally shot and perhaps fatally injured by her 10-year-old sister, who was playing with a 22-caliber rifle.



### At Mrs. Simpson's.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. W. Simpson entertained at her very pleasant home on West 14th street, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Simpson of Florence, Ala., who is a guest at the Simpson home. Progressive Forty-Two was the feature of the afternoon's entertainment, and delicious refreshments were served to those fortunate enough to be honored as guests of the occasion. Mrs. J. W. Byrd, sister of the hostess, ably and gracefully assisted in the entertainment and comfort of the guests. Out of town guest was Mrs. Foster Simpson of Konawa. Others present were: Mesdames Nethery, Beard, Elbert Higgins, Shaw, Meaders, Hale, Ebey, LeFevre, Browall, Hope, Hardin, W. S. Thomson, Rives, Conn, Mays, Gwin, Hill, Allison, Laster, Thornton, H. C. Thompson, Weaver and Miss Nena Thompson. That the entertainment was delightful, is the unanimous opinion of those present.

Egg drinks at 109dtt MASON'S DRUG STORE.

### HIS SECRET DIES WITH HIM

Comanche, Ok., Aug. 9.—Death has sealed the lips of Newton Singleton, a farmer 35 years old, who after being shot by an unknown man in the road a few miles east of here, refused to divulge the name of the man who committed the crime. Men were seen riding toward the wagon occupied by Singleton, loud cursing rent the air and people residing nearby heard a gun shot. Presently the wagon was on fire. Then followed the cries of Singleton who said that he had been murdered. The fire was put out and Singleton wound dressed.

When officers arrived upon the scene a few hours later Singleton was still conscious and told of the affair. When they pressed him for the name of the man who did the shooting he complained that his wound was painful him. He died with his secret in his heart.

### TO RELINQUISH GUARANTY.

National Banks Forbidden to Avail Themselves of State Law.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Comptroller of the Currency Kane has officially notified all national banks of Oklahoma of the opinion rendered by Attorney General Bonaparte that it is illegal for officers of any national banks to enter into any such agreement as is contemplated by section four of the Oklahoma statutes relative to guaranteeing bank deposits, and that persistent and willful action to this effect would mean just cause for forfeiture of its charter.

All national banks which have taken advantage of the law referred to have been required to withdraw from the agreement and to notify the comptroller's office that they have done so.

Constable Lillard of Francis was here today.

Sterling P. Hendrix of Sulphur, an old boyhood friend of Tom Smith's was his guest Sunday.

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Cash Prices

1 sack good Flour	.....\$1.25
1 sack good Bran	.....\$1.35
1 sack good Corn chops	.....\$1.45
17 pounds Sugar	.....\$1.00
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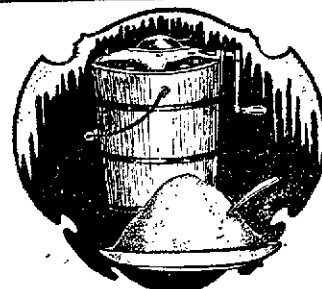
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Richard Reed Rogers, general counsel of Panama Canal Commission, who accompanied Secretary of War Taft on his recent visit to the isthmus.

## THE "PIE GIRL" IS ALIVE.

ACTOR IN STANFORD WHITE DIN-  
NER NOT DEAD.

Susie Johnson Declares Money Was  
Paid Her to Disappear from  
View—Tells How Feast  
Was Planned.

New York—"The Girl in the Pie," who figured so prominently in the amazing revelations of upper life in New York's Bohemia a few years ago and who was reported to have died of consumption, is alive and literally kicking. Susie Johnson—such is her name—did not get married, did not die

of consumption and was not buried in Potter's field, as was alleged when the notorious pie incident was brought up during the first trial of Harry Thaw for the murder of Stanford White.

White was one of the diners at the celebrated dinner given by "Jimmy" Broese, at which the high fliers of New York's rapid set were present. He became much interested in Susie Johnson after she made her sensational exit from the big pie in which she was concealed at the now historic carouse.

A world-wide search was made for her when the matter came up during the Thaw trial, but she was not found

A reporter the other day met the young woman, who is hale and extremely hearty.

"Why did you not contradict those reports of your marriage, desertion and pathetic death?" asked the reporter.

"Money," replied the pie girl placidly as she slipped off her dancing slipper and shook out an ordinary bit of sand. "Money," she repeated thoughtfully. "The same money that makes men take long chances down on Wall street, the same money that makes them sacrifice fame and friends, the same money that makes Mr. Rockefeller happy and Mr. Carnegie build libraries kept Susie Johnson, 'the girl in the pie,' out of sight. I was doing pretty well, thank you, by just keeping still. But now the time for keeping still is past. I just want to say that a lot of stuff published about me was not true.

"No reporter has ever talked to me. I was spirited away when that dinner broke up and no one, not even my own parents, saw me for a long, long time. Perhaps other girls represented themselves as Susie Johnson and did the talking. I never did. They said I was married and that my husband, brooding over my role in that famous dinner, went nearly insane and deserted me. I never married. They said I had consumption. I have never been ill a day. And you'll admit I'm very much alive.

"Now that my lips are unsealed, I am willing enough to talk. My memory for dates is not very clear, but I think that dinner was given in May, 1895. I had been posing for various artists, head and figure, and was just 15 years of age. Henry C. Poor gave the dinner in honor of a business friend, whose name I do not remember, in the studio of James L. Breese on Sixteenth street.

"I think Robert Reid planned the dinner and Mr. Poor footed the bills, because it was Mr. Reid who engaged me and told me what a great event it was to be. One hundred and fifty quarts of champagne, he said, had been ordered, and the dinner was to cost \$100 per plate without the wine.

"He rehearsed me very carefully for the part I was to play. You see, I had posed for him very often and he knew just what to expect of me. He bought a great shallow pan or tub, just big enough to hold me, and had a cover of crust baked for it. Then the crust was very carefully lifted off, I was put inside and the cover laid over me. My shoulders were draped with black gauze and a blackbird such as you put on a hat was fastened in my hair, which hung down around my shoulders. In my hand I carried a box filled with tiny birds. As soon as the crust was off I took the lid off this box and out flew the birds. Then I popped up into view."

## WOMEN'S SENSE OF BEAUTY.

This Is Chief Cause of Their Extravagance in Dress.

"Modern women are extravagant," says Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, "but it is the conditions of our modern life, with its loss of personal independence, which are to blame for this extravagance."

Mrs. Richards teaches in the Institute of Technology and is deeply interested in educational questions, particularly those which relate to economic and industrial training, but before everything else Mrs. Richards is a gracious, charming lady who moves among the glass flasks and Bunsen burners of her chemical laboratory with the same poise and dignity which her mother probably showed in the linen room 50 years ago, says the Boston Herald. So one isn't surprised to find that while the tech teacher realizes perfectly all the temptations which the modern woman is heir to, her plea is not the overcoming of those temptations by mannish disregard of all pretty things, but rather a return to the old, beautiful ideals of living, which recognized primarily that things were not really "pretty" unless they were also "good."

She compared the women of to-day and of 50 years ago as regards the quantity and the quality of their dresses.

"Did you never hear of the judge's wife in one of our Massachusetts towns," she asked, "who had only three gowns?"

Her gray eyes smiled quietly as she watched the astonishment of her twentieth century listener, and she continued in calm enjoyment:

"Yes, she had her morning gown, in which she did her housework—linsey woolsey, I suppose it was, spun by herself—and she had the gown which she wore for calls and at church, and then she had her beautiful brocade, heavy and rich and splendid—why, it would stand alone! And it cost a great deal, because it was such a lovely thing; but she wore it and wore it and handed it down to her daughter and even now it's the most precious dress of the daughter's daughter.

"But compare with that inventory the gowns of a woman of to-day. She must have her morning dress, which she can never wear in the afternoon; she must have gowns for street wear, for dinners, for receptions, for dances, for lectures. And yet—she hasn't one really nice dress out of the lot—how can she, when she must have so many?"

"It's this desire for the show of things and not for the real goodness underneath that is the greatest extravagance of modern women," declared Mrs. Richards with increasing fervor. "Instead of getting one nice gown which will last for years and years, we get these crazy stuffs which pull to pieces before the season is over. And the reason is that our sense of beauty is defective."

## Height of Great Men.

The duke of Wellington has always been a mystery. I have read that he was six feet four inches tall. I have read also that he was only five feet six inches. Historians tell us he was anywhere from five feet six inches to five feet eleven inches. There are some things, seemingly very simple which it is impossible to establish; this is one of them. Historians are still guessing the height of Julius Caesar, the size of Hannibal's head, the weight of Alexander the Great and the general dimensions of Solomon. Why, we are not even sure of the stature of George Washington. It might be believed that Napoleon, Alexander the Great and Jay Gould were of the same size, three bumptious little characters. And it is common belief that Charlemagne, Erling the Bold, Frederick the Great, Robert Bruce, Sir William Wallace, Gen. Winfield Scott and Richard Coeur de Lion were all top-notchers, "Old Fuss and Feathers," formed in the prodigality of nature, leading in girth and weight.—N. Y. Press.

## Dictionary Users Modest.

"Men are never so modest as when they go to use a dictionary," remarked an attendant at the public library. "As a rule when you see a man go to a public dictionary or one in any place where other people are around, you'll see him look around furtively as if he fear somebody might see him. Men who make no pretensions at having any great amount of knowledge nevertheless seem to be embarrassed to have any one think that they do not know the pronunciation or meaning of some English word. The next time you see a man looking up a word in the dictionary, just ask him what it is he is looking up, and see if he will tell you. You'll find in at least nine cases out of ten that he won't tell. He's afraid you'll know it and have the fun of enlightening him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Willing, However.

The bachelor clergyman was showing a woman visitor through his church.

"Now, madam," he said, "you have seen the organ, the font and the nave. With your permission, I will now conduct you to the altar."

"Oh," she exclaimed after the manner of her kind, "this is so sudden!"

## Still Had Hopes.

"Say," queried the Wise Guy, "don't you ever get discouraged in trying to get something for nothing?"

"Now," replied the granger, who had just invested in his twenty-third gold brick, "I've noticed that other fellers gets his that way, 'an' mebbe in the course uv time I'll be th' other feller."

## GIVES HUSBAND TO A NURSE.

Woman Selects Successor in Spirit of Gratitude.

Mount Holly, N. J.—Mrs. Carmine Pallante, wife of a well-to-do resident of Mount Holly, died six months ago after a prolonged illness. Angela Izzi and Christina Izzi, her daughter, of Philadelphia, nursed the woman.

The tender ministrations of the mother, Angela, so endeared the woman to Mrs. Pallante that, when she knew death was near, she chose Mrs. Izzi as her successor in the affections of her husband.

With her dying words she declared that she was happy in the thought that her husband would have a good wife after she died.

The public was in ignorance of the episode until recently, when the news was made public by Pallante, when he married Mrs. Izzi.

## CAT HAS ODD LITTER

SURPRISING PROGENY BORNE BY  
MALTESE TABBY.

Kittens Tied in Knot Like Double  
Siamese Twins—Mother Pos-  
sessed of Peculiarities But  
Is Good Rat Catcher.

Brooklyn—Tabby, a fine maltese cat, besides being a source of great comfort to her mistress, Mrs. Grinnell of 598 Lafayette avenue, is really an extraordinary and uncommon creature. She can be counted on once every six months to produce a sensation.

Ever since one Sunday morning she has had all the neighborhood agog. The fame of her latest exploit has spread to remote parts of the borough.

Tabby gave birth to a most remarkable litter of kittens. Three of them had each seven toes on their forefeet and five on their hind feet; but this is or was not to be wondered at, for Tabby herself is possessed of these peculiarities.

"The remaining four, wonderful to relate, were all tied in a knot. They were verily like the Siamese twins, twice over. How they nursed and how they lived a whole week, and might have been living yet had not Mrs. Grinnell humanely ended their complicated existence, is a modern wonder.

There were four separate and distinct bodies, and from four pairs of dusty lungs they gave forth lusty meows, and with their legs they pushed and pawed each other in futile attempts to get apart. And the bewildered mother also tried to separate them. She was so much concerned about her strange offspring that she paid no attention at all to the three

## New Birds for the Mountains.

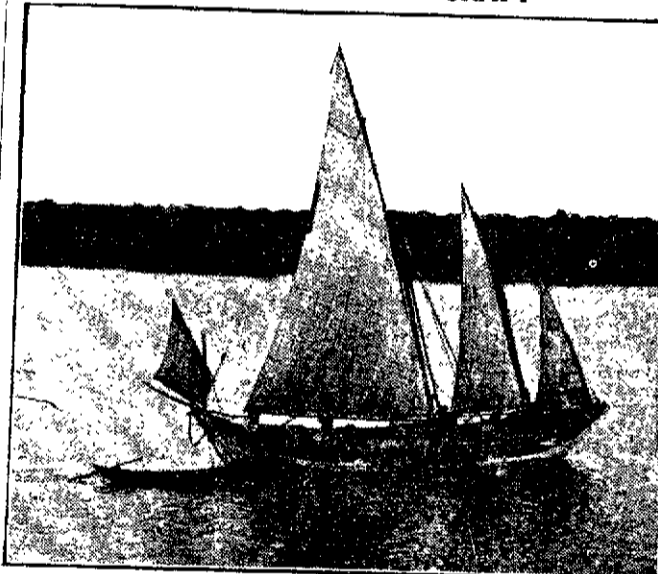
Denver Man Brings Them All the Way  
from Sweden.

Denver, Col.—Two strange birds have arrived in Denver, having journeyed all the way from Sweden. Now they are domiciled in the city park. If the plans of their owner, W. F. Kendrick, succeed, they will be the progenitors of a new race of birds in the Colorado mountains.

They are the capercaille, pronounced caper-keel-zi, and are the size of a small turkey. In habits they are much like grouse and ptarmigan. They thrive best at timber line, and subsist on pine, spruce and hemlock boughs and mountain berries.

Mr. Kendrick, who is tremendously interested in birds and animals, has had an ambition for some time to start

## AN ODD SAILING CRAFT



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Scene near the Strait Settlements, Southeastern India.

that had been born with separate entities, and Mrs. Grinnell, for fear of having them die of malnutrition, drowned them.

Once it was bruited about that Tabby had given birth to a bunch of kittens all tied together, not only the neighbors called to see the monstrosity, but even the neighbors' cats. For a whole week all of the neighbors' cats congregated in Mrs. Grinnell's back yard and cellar to view Tabby's funny little ones, and to discuss the phenomenon in their feline way.

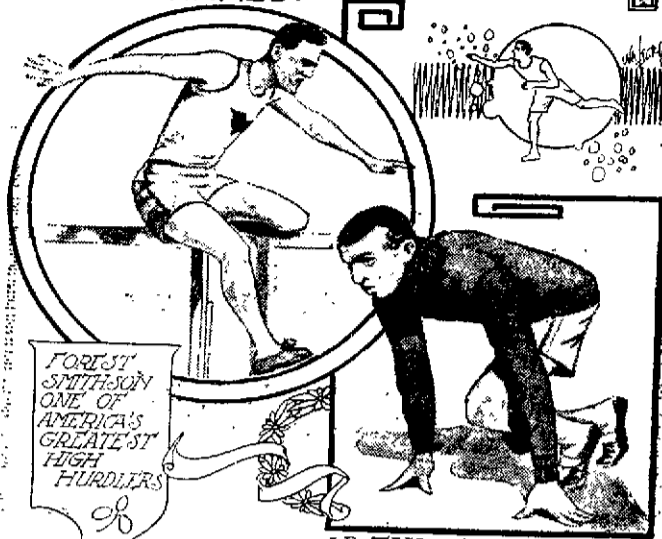
Mrs. Grinnell became very much annoyed at the notoriety given her

premises by the Tabby family, and she straightway summoned her nephew, who happens to be an undertaker, and bade him dispatch the quartet of kittens. And now Mrs. Grinnell is seriously considering ending the existence of Tabby herself, for ever since she arrived at maturity the cat has been doing some funny "stunt" like this.

Indeed, she is seemingly beyond reform. This, however, Mrs. Grinnell will say in her favor, she is a champion rat catcher. The extra claws with which she is equipped seem to stand her in good stead whenever she goes a-ratting.

# OLYMPIAD at LONDON

AMERICAN ATHLETES TO MEET  
WORLD RIVALS.

J.B. TAYLOR, CHAMPION  
QUARTER-MILE RUNNER

One of the greatest contests in the history of sport will mark the Franco-British exposition in London this summer, when the Olympian games, which have been a growing feature each succeeding year since their revival, will be held. Thousands and thousands of lovers of track and field athletics will crowd this immense arena, the largest in the world. It is expected that the tiers upon tiers of solid concrete seats able to accommodate 58,000 people will be filled, that 25,000 more will fill the available standing room, while down on the cinder path the greatest runners and athletes of the world will strain every muscle and sinew to win glory and honor, and it is confidently expected that American contestants will give a good accounting of themselves and will be able to carry off their share of the prizes.

That this country has every reason to expect great things of her athletes one has only to consider the list of men who have been selected to enter the contests. It is without any doubt the best and largest body of athletes ever sent out by any country to capture the championship of the world. The success of the American team at Athens two years ago surprised even its most ardent supporters. The victory was clean cut and decisive. That team was not the best this country could produce. A new system of selecting men has been tried this year, and the Stars and Stripes will be carried by the cream of this country's athletes.

There never was a time when America could boast of such athletes as she has at present. Now almost every one, from the primary schoolboy to the college senior, is interested in athletics, and consequently rapid strides have been made in running, jumping and weight throwing.

Everything will favor the English athletes. They will be on their own soil, climatic conditions will be in their favor and they will escape a long and possibly rough ocean voyage and a week in which training will be carried on under great disadvantages. The Americans must meet and overcome all these handicaps.

Will America win the Olympic championship? Nearly every one who has followed track and field athletics at all closely in this country will reply in the affirmative and immediately ask "Who can beat us?" More than seventy-five men will compose the American team. They will come from all parts of the country—north, south, east and west. Nearly a dozen nationalities will be represented, an Indian from the government school, a Greek, Germans, plenty of Irish, a Swede, some French and Italian descendants and a negro. The majority of the team will be native-born Americans. America's greatest athletes seem to be of Irish descent, and a glance at the names of the members will prove this. Here are a few of them: Flanagan, Sheridan, McGrath, O'Connell, Morrissey and Hayes. And nearly all of these will be point winners.

At the head of the team will be the greatest physical trainer in this country, if not the world, "Mike" Murphy, who now handles the athletes of the University of Pennsylvania. He has spent a lifetime in this work, and is a wizard in developing and determining the ability of a runner or jumper. "Mike," as he is known, will have a big job attending to 75 high-strung human thoroughbreds, but there is no man more capable of sending them to the mark in the pink of condition than he.

Many of the members of the team are college men, both students and graduates. Some of the universities and colleges which will be represented are Pennsylvania, Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Cornell, Dartmouth, Michigan, Leland Stanford, Chicago, Illinois, Virginia and Swarthmore. Some of the college athletes have just completed their freshman year, while others are graduates of six years' standing.

Every man on the team is an amateur with not the slightest taint of professionalism. In selecting the men

the first thing before the American Olympic committee was to determine whether or not the candidate was above all suspicion and could meet the high requirements demanded of all entrants. Every man on the team is a contestant for pure love of sport and the glory and health to be derived from it.

It is of interest to consider the ability and records of a few of the men. Every country will admit American sprinters are the best. In every contest requiring speed and agility our athletes are supreme. The two dashes—100 and 200 meter races—will undoubtedly be won by Americans.

America's greatest runner for the 400-meter race is a negro—J. H. Taylor of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a slow starter and early in the race always seems to be hopelessly beaten, but he finishes with a wonderful burst of speed and is rarely defeated. America should win this race. To help Taylor there will be "Jack" Atlee of Princeton, J. C. Carpenter of Cornell, N. A. Merriam of Chicago, and three or four others if they are needed.

For the 800-meter race, which corresponds to our 880, we have probably the fastest man in the world at this distance. He is Melvin W. Sheppard of the Irish-American club, a young runner who has been breaking records since his schoolboy days, only a few years back.

When the 1,500-meter race is reached, we come to England's specialty. The Britons are the greatest distance runners in the world. They have wonderful power of endurance, and their bulldog grit carries them to victory in long contests. But America is now coming to the front, and it would be no surprise to see the plucky Britons beaten at their own game this year.

The Marathon race of 25 miles is the most grueling contest on the Olympic program. America may not win, but T. P. Morrissey, a resident of Yonkers, will surely be well up at the finish, with a good chance of carrying off the laurel wreath.

The timber-toppers, or hurdle racers, of America have no equal the world over. Three of those who will go to England have run in world's record time. They are A. B. Shaw of Dartmouth, Johnny Garreths of Michigan, and Forest C. Smithson of Oregon. These men should sweep the card.

Ray C. Ewry of the New York Athletic club has been winning the standing high and broad jumps at Olympic games longer than some of the members of the American team have been in athletics. There is no one who can approach his records. He will undoubtedly win ten points for America. In the running high jump we have two men who have cleared six feet two inches or better. They are H. F. Porter of the Irish-American Athletic club and Tom Moffit, formerly of Pennsylvania. One of them should win in the stadium, but it is just possible America will finish second in this event.

One of our best broad jumpers is Frank Mountpleasant, an Indian from the Carlisle school. He has a good record, as has E. T. Cook of Cornell and Dan Kelly of the Irish-American Athletic club, both of whom will accompany him on the trip.

America's weight throwers are in a class by themselves. Ralph Rose, a young western giant, holds nearly all records with the shot; John Flanagan, Mike McGrath and Martin Sheridan, all New York policemen, hold many records with the hammer and discus.

It will be a great surprise if America does not win the pole vault, for she has A. C. Gilbert of Yale, the world's record holder, and Walter Dray, his teammate, the former record holder. There are other men on the team who can vault 12 feet or higher.

There are several other contests on the Olympic program, but this completes the list with which this country is familiar. For the swimming events, America will depend on C. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic club, the world's record holder.

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## FINANCES BEING CONSIDERED

### Chairmen Mack and Wetmore and Trsasurer Haskell Devising Plans to Raise Money.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 9.—Ways and means of financing the democratic national campaign were discussed at length today at a meeting of Chairman Mack of the national committee, Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the committee, Col. Moses C. Wetmore of St. Louis chairman of the finance committee, and Millard E. Dunlap of Illinois former treasurer of the national committee. No definite decision was reached and the question of raising a fund of sufficient proportions to maintain an effective three months' campaign will be brought up for solution at a meeting of the various heads of the committees tomorrow.

**Thinks Stacks Forthcoming.**  
Neither Gov. Haskell nor Col. Wetmore have formed any definite plan for raising a campaign fund, although both are confident that the committee will not lack funds to meet all legal expenses of a presidential fight. While the suggestion has been made that a fund of \$500,000 would be sought, both Governor Haskell and Col. Wetmore declared that no definite sum had been settled upon. After an informal meeting

on the financial proposition today Gov. Haskell said:

"I have every confidence that the committee will obtain all the funds needed to wage a hard fight for Mr. Bryan, although as yet no plan has been determined upon. I have made no appeals for money, but have already received \$19,000, which came unsolicited. No definite sum has been fixed for a fund, which, in our party, must be collected from the plain people."

### Committee Will Meet.

Col. Wetmore said he would call a meeting of the finance committee at once to devise some way to secure money.

"This is a democratic year," said Col. Wetmore, "and the republicans will need dollars where we need dimes. Of course the republicans will get their funds from corporations, multimillionaires and federal officeholders, just as they have always done, but we must get our money from those who have but little to spare, no matter how willing their spirit may be. If we can get money enough to run a good campaign Bryan will be elected. Raising money is no easy task, and if anyone covets my job and thinks he can do better he can have it."

## RUSH FOR MINOR'S LANDS

### Soon as That Easier Acquired is all Bought.---Nearly Half Indian Land Belongs to Minors.

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 8.—Judges of county courts in the 40 counties of Eastern Oklahoma will be the busiest men in the state during the next six months. They will have to order the sale, advertise for bids and pass upon the transfer of every tract of land owned by minor Indians who wish to sell, and most of them will want to sell at least a part of their land.

In the first rush for land the buyers could not take the time to fool with a court order that embraced the advertisement for 30 days for bids and opened the land to competition. But as soon as the rush is over they will turn their attention to minor land.

No Indian child can sell its land

without the consent of its guardian and the approval of the county court wherein the land is situated. Before the court can approve the sale he must advertise for bids on the land in order to see that the child gets all the land is worth. Then he approves or rejects the sale. But in this procedure there can be no question but what the purchaser is getting the only deed to the land and that his title will be absolutely good when the court puts its seal on the transfer.

Nearly half the Indian allotments in old Indian Territory are owned by minors. This large percentage is due to late laws which admitted Indian children to the rolls after the time for closing the rolls had been officially set. Thousands came in under what is known as the "new born" clause in the Creek, Cherokee, Choctaw and Chickasaw nations.

### EX-CONFEDS ARE AT SULPHUR

Sulphur, Ok., Aug. 9.—For three days the Trans-Mississippi Confederate Generals have been marshalling their troops and forwarding them to Sulphur, where they will Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday join the Confederates of Old Indian Territory and Old Oklahoma in their great State reunion. Gen. W. L. Cabell and staff of Dallas, Lieutenant General, commander of the Trans-Mississippi department, arrived this evening over the Frisco, at the head of a large body of troops. "Old Tige" and his troops were met at the station by the local camp and marched to the Artesian Hotel, Confederate headquarters, to the music of fife and drum. Arriving at the reunion headquarters "Dixie" was played, which stirred the old soldiers to wild enthusiasm and caused them to turn loose their old-time rebel yell and battle cry. The sons and daughters and a great throng of citizens and visitors gathered on the streets to see Gen. Cabell march in at the head of his troops. This crowd caught the infection, and they, too, yelled, giving greater and greater volume to the old Con-

federate battle cry.

On account of Gen. Dr. M. Bailey being Oklahoma's delegate on the Bryan notification committee and the necessity of the general being in Lincoln Wednesday to render Oklahoma's part in the formal notification of Mr. Bryan of his nomination for the presidency, the Old Indian Territory and the Old Oklahoma divisions will be dissolved by resolution tomorrow morning instead of Tuesday. The consolidation of the two divisions will immediately follow, Gen. Cabell presiding.

The Oklahoma and Indian Territory divisions of the United Daughters of the Confederacy having concluded their respective conventions met Saturday evening in the parlors of the Artesian in joint session, and elected officers.

### Memorial Services.

Memorial services were held in the opera house this afternoon for Mrs. Serena Carter, mother of Congressman Carter, and for Mrs. Ruth Harris. Mrs. W. B. Cuthbertson of Kiowa rehearsed the life of Mrs. Carter. Mrs. W. R. Clement spoke of Mrs. Harris, Congressman Carter and many Confederate Veterans attended the service.

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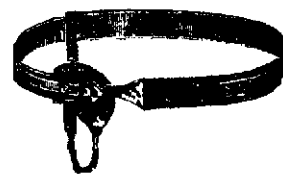
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## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

For President:  
W. J. BRYAN.

For Vice President:  
JNO. W. KERN.

For U. S. Senator:  
THOS. P. GORE.

For Supreme Court Judge:  
R. L. WILLIAMS.

For Corporation Commissioner:  
A. P. WATSON.  
(Farmer.)

For Congress, Fourth District:  
C. D. CARTER.

For Representative Pontotoc County:  
FRANK HUDDLESTON.

For Floterial Representative, Pontotoc and Seminole Counties:  
EDGAR S. RATLIFF.

The Ada band will reflect credit on itself and advertise Ada, while playing music for the ex-Confederate reunion at Sulphur. Ada is justly proud of its most excellent band.

The gallant and brave ex-Confederates in the reunion at Sulphur, this week, will have a grand time, and they will be most hospitably entertained by the generous people of that thriving and progressive city.

And it wasn't Alf Hunter the sheriff had at Kingfisher. It doesn't seem that anybody would be able to identify Hunter. Two negroes who claimed to know Hunter well, said the captured negro, was he, but an officer who also was well acquainted with him, said it was not Hunter, so the sheriff turned the fellow loose.

The democratic national convention will depend upon the dimes of the masses to offset the dollars of the few contributed to the republican fund. And this is a contest between the people and the plutocrats—the former represented by democracy and the latter by republicanism.

Ex-Senator Agee, Ex-Senator Brazell and Ex-Clerk Ham Bee, who were so diligent in saving the state money through the mimeograph process received scant consideration at the hands of the voters in the primaries. All were candidates and all were woefully skinned. Let them get together in one grand love feast—Guthrie Leader.

The glee with which the Leader receives the news of Agee's defeat, is explained by the exposure made by the service of the \$20,000 graft that paper got on the printing done for the constitutional convention.

## YOUNG WOMEN ON ROCK PILE.

Jail at Fort Worth Crowded With Female Violators of the Law.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 9.—Despite protests of the Fort Worth Federation of Women's Clubs, Police Commissioner Geo. Mulkey today put women prisoners to work on the rock pile. No other city in Texas employs this system of punishment now but Mulkey declares the city prisons are filled with women and only the dreaded rock pile will keep them out of jail.

Women were given large hammers today and worked 10 hours breaking up stones under a torrid sun. One of the women were white and the others were not but of their teens. The hard work exhausted them, but they were forced under the eye of a guard to continue their labors.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Don't sulk; play the game for all there is in it and you will find that things will come your way and life will be better and sweeter.—Denison Herald.

With bright prospects for bumper corn and cotton crops, the farmers of this section should be in high spirits. It will be but a few years till the farmers, as a rule, will be the money-lenders instead of the borrowers.—Frederick Leader.

The officers of Oklahoma City must be guilty of dereliction of duty, since one of the residents saw six deer near that city a day or so ago. This is seeing double all right, and must mean that the stuff's there good and plenty.—McAlester Capital.

Keep the matter of surface drainage constantly in mind when you are engaged in street or road work. A furtherance of the natural course of the surface water helps to maintain the work done, while a failure to make provision means that the work done is going to have to be done again before many months have passed.—Denison Herald.

## EVELYN THAW'S EXTRAVAGANCE

Her Income Will Be Cut Off By Harry's Bankruptcy.

Pittsburg Pa., Aug. 9.—That the proceeding instituted by Harry K. Thaw will result in Evelyn Thaw being cut off from her great income, and to be \$1,000 per month, furnished her by Thaw, and that the desire of Thaw to cut her off was one of his principal reasons for going into bankruptcy court, was claimed here today. Former Gov. William A. Stone Thaw's counsel, here today gave out the following interview:

"This petition of Harry's will without doubt be a great blow to Evelyn. From all I can learn she has been drawing heavily upon his resources. Yes, I have heard that her extravagant demands reached to \$1,000 a month for spending money. No man could stand such a that and situated as Harry Thaw is it left him but one choice between two courses and the simple business transaction of yesterday has effectively shut off her demands. It will undoubtedly be a great blow to Evelyn."

## Muskogee Missed School.

Guthrie, Ok., Aug. 8.—The board of agriculture today located the Second District agricultural school authorized by the last legislature at Warner Station, in Muskogee county. Other applicants were Broken Arrow, Howe, Haskell and Muskogee. It has named the Connors School after the president of the board, and receives from the community 160 acres of land. The board also elected Mrs. Pearl Tyndall of Hickory to teach English and mathematics in the Murray school at Tishomingo and Geo. Wilson to teach the same in the Connors school.

## Duel With Knives.

Lawton, Aug. 9.—Two men were found unconscious by the roadside near the old postoffice at a late hour last night. The men J. C. Fisher of Chattanooga and Dan Easley had evidently tried to settle some difficulty in a knife duel and both were exhausted and unconscious from loss of blood. Easley's wounds are probably fatal. Easley voted at Indianola late yesterday afternoon and left in a buggy with a man named Gray.

## REPUBLICAN LEADER.

The Monetary Commission Does Not Worry About Money Matters.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The financial doctors who are trying to diagnose the ailments of the currency system are high-priced. If they continue as they have started the job will cost the government a fortune by the time this report is presented to congress.

The monetary commission appointed under the provisions of the Aldrich-Vreeland bill passed at the last session has been at work at Narragansett pier for about two weeks. Already it has sent in bills for expenses for about \$14,000 or at the rate of \$1,000 a day. As the Aldrich-Vreeland bill placed no limit on the amount of money the commission may spend in its investigation the controller of the treasury can do nothing but approve the bills and order them paid. If the expenses of the monetary commission run up to \$1,000 a day while it is holding its sessions at a comparatively unpretentious American summer resort, wonder is expressed here as to what they will be when the members of the commission go abroad to continue the investigation in London, Paris and Berlin.

While at Narragansett the commission had in attendance one of the barbers from the senate barber shop in Washington. No doubt this man will be taken abroad with the commission so that the members may get shaved, shampooed and their hair cut in first class American style and not depend on the pauper labor

## Prehistoric Mastodon Skeleton.

Lawton, Ok., Aug. 8.—The tusks, part of the skull and possibly much of the remaining skeleton of a prehistoric mastodon have been found in the railway gravel pit of an allotment several miles south of Lawton, according to an opinion given out by G. W. Kniseley, a member of the State Geological Survey, who is here on an investigating trip.

The bones, though not petrified, are in comparatively good condition. It is believed that the entire specimen may be secured and preserved

Weak women should read my "Book No. 1 for Women." It tells of Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. Tells how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories, bring quick and certain help. The book is free. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. G. M. Ramsey.

## A NECESSITY

It is absolutely necessary for you to kill the screw worms when your stock or dog becomes infected with them or death will be the result of your neglect.

## Cresylic Ointment

and Stock Chloroform are the two best remedies. We also sell powder for fleas, lice, etc. Put up in cans, 10c, 15c and 25c, also have it in bulk for 5c per ounce at

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## A MAN SINKS HIS MONEY.

oftimes in poor speculations that give him no satisfaction and no returns for his money. Recent developments have proven that real estate is the only solid investment for money. If you buy one of the vacant lots that we are now offering you not only have a good safe investment, but one that improves in value daily.

## Let Us Show You Hardin & Blanks

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Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocer's everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc., have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderful satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. R. S. Tobin.

August time, tells on the nerves. But that spiritless, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course, full health will not immediately return. The pain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "inside nerves" then the stomach, heart, and kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these failing nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly health will be yours again. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## How's This.

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY, Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Dr. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism. Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease. In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, I can cure all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. These acid-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And thus, when the body is freed from these wastes, Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer with out help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

## Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy

G. M. RAMSEY.

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Insist on White Swan and Wapco brand of  
**EATABLES**  
and then you are sure of getting the best.  
FOR SALE BY ALL  
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When the stomach, heart, or kidney nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the stomach, nor stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is simply a make-shift. Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves, build them up with Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County. Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of Nany I. Sawyers, deceased, that on the 5th day of Aug. 1908, J. M. Sawyers produced and filed in the County Court of the County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, an instrument in writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Nany I. Sawyers, deceased, and also filed in said Court his petition praying for the probate of said Will, and that letters of administration issued thereon to J. M. Sawyers, and that said petition will be heard at the Court room of said Court in the city of Ada, in said County and State on the 18th day of Aug. 1908, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., of said day when and where all persons interested can appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County, this 5th day of Aug. 1908.  
(Seal.) JOEL TERRELL, County Judge.

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We are now prepared to make prompt ice deliveries in city. Out of town business solicited. Full weight and courteous treatment guaranteed.

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AT A SACRIFICE

Half gallon size, per doz. - - 75c.  
Quart, per dozen, - - 55c.

We also have the Economy fruit jars at a bargain. Buy today before they are gone.

SAY—We are looking for another car of that wonderful

## Nebraska Flour.

It is the fastest seller in Ada.

## ALDRICH & THOMPSON

## Please Read Carefully

On account of the extremely hot weather, and also the suggestion of our customers, we have decided to hold our AUCTION SALE every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY NIGHTS at 8 o'clock sharp, instead of every night as we have been doing.

It will pay any person in Ada and surrounding country to attend these AUCTION SALES. OUR STOCK IS ALL NEW and STAPLE GOODS, such as every one must buy somewhere. Now why not buy these necessary articles here where you can get them at YOUR OWN PRICE. Private sales every day at less than cost of raw material.

**Everybody Come**

**Shopples**

## PERSONAL COLUMN

Mrs. Paul Allen is visiting in Holdenville.

Fire proof roof paint. Ingram Paint Co., sells it. 109eod2t

Jno. Burns was here from Stonewall today.

Geo. Cox went to Stonewall and returned today.

Some choice novels at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

E. L. Stone and J. W. Jones returned to Tupelo today.

Good roof paint always on hand. 109eod2t INGRAM PAINT CO.

Mrs. S. K. Smith is visiting her daughter in Holdenville.

Post cards, a large stock, at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

G. P. Carney went to Roff today on a business errand.

Photograph Albums at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

J. B. Stewart and little daughter, Miss Wyant, went to Atoka today.

Fruit lemonades at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

Judge C. A. Powers is attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at McAlester.

A sack of good flour \$1.25 at 109-2t TORIN'S.

Misses Bessie and Jennie Gwaltney left today for their home in Hickman, Tenn.

A slate color roof paint that will stand the sun, rain and fire see P. G. Ingram. 109eod2t

Robt. Hatcher and family of the Bebee country were here en route to Stonewall today.

Jim Bullard returned this morning from a visit at different points on the Santa Fe.

Bibles and testaments at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

W. C. Scott and J. C. Cagle of Konawa, two war horses of the Gray were in Ada this morning en route to the Sulphur reunion.

Mrs. Mary Tolbert and daughter, Miss Rebecca, left today for a visit in Blanco.

Peach seed wanted, 50 cents per bushel. THE ADA NURSERIES. 105-1wkdd

W. A. Lindsay and family of Dolburg were in Ada this morning en route to Phillips and McAlester.

I want your cash and you want the goods at close figures so call at 109-2t TORIN'S.

J. E. Jones and family left today for McAlester, where Mr. Jones will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

J. W. Deand was called to Stonewall this morning to try a case for the justice of the peace.

Mrs. J. W. Hays has returned from an extended visit at the old home in Mississippi.

Mrs. W. C. Duncan and daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned Saturday from a visit in Madill.

Mrs. Emma Lee and daughter of Gainesville are the guests of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. C. Lee.

Those indebted to M. L. Walsh are requested to call and settle accounts at once, else the accounts will be closed. dtf

Thomas Allen left today for Cooville, Tenn., where he will join his family on a month's visit with friends and relatives.

Customers who have permitted their accounts to go past due are requested to call and settle at once or your account will be closed. dtf M. L. WALSH.

R. H. Sustell, one of the leading citizens of the Center neighborhood, was here en route to McAlester to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

L. J. Crowder, the barber, has installed a new cash register which keeps a separate account for each of the four chairs in his shop.

H. J. Bond the full-blood Choctaw Indian County Treasurer of Atoka county, returned to his home from the Center country where he has considerable land holdings.

### For Rent.

Good 6-room house, newly papered and painted. See John B. Rhoad, d110tf

**A Good Man Gone.**  
Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Hazle, Ok., Rev. R. Shirley, until recently a resident of Pontotoc county, died of paralysis. Bro. Shirley was one of the first settlers in this country and did more to hasten the day when good people wanted to come to Indian Territory, than any other. He was a good man. For years he has labored on his farm in the week days and preached the religion of Jesus Christ on the Sabbath day. When he got his crop in good condition, or "laid by," he would conduct protracted revivals in different sections, and there never was one of his meetings that did not build up, lift up and save. Those who knew him loved him. Those who heard him preach once, would hear him again, for he impressed you as a conscientious man of God. His neighbors loved him best, because they best knew him.

The deceased is a brother of our respected citizen and city councilman, Jack Shirley, and the father of Aaron Shirley at Ahloso and Jim Shirley of Hazle.

The remains of the deceased were brought to the Gear school house cemetery for interment, and laid to rest under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Those attending from here besides the brother, Jack Shirley, were: F. S. Hought, R. J. Ross, Tom McKeown, G. T. Lancaster, James Caudle and Dick and Doc Couch.

Rev. J. M. Foster of South McAlester officiated.

### Big Crowd to Sulphur.

At the Frisco station this morning there were throngs of people en route to the big Sulphur reunion which begins today and continues three days. The most conspicuous aggregation was the Ada Military Band, who have an engagement of three days to make music for the occasion. The boys were in their new and shiny uniform and made a goodly appearance. Not all the boys could go, but enough if you please, to make the boys of the South throw up their hats when the band begins to play Dixie.

Among the old veterans who went from Ada were: Col. H. C. Pearson, Abe Crow, A. K. Oliver, W. H. Fischer, W. H. Wheeler, J. W. Chisler, Sam H. Hargis, J. J. Hardin, Red Walker, C. C. Jones, C. D. Dunnagan and Wm. Edmonson. Capt. Rotterberry, prominent citizen from Stratford, was also in the party, also M. Byrd of Stonewall. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. M. Harris, J. W. Eaton, F. J. Eter; Misses Maud and Belle Brents, Robt. Vinbush, Mrs. Wm. Markham, J. C. Roland, Sam McClure and many others whose names we could not get.

### Married.

This morning at 9:30 C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Miss Laura Welch of Spaulding, Okla., were united in marriage at the Byrd Hotel. Justice Brown officiating. There were several friends of the bride and groom present. Mr. Lovelace is a prominent citizen of Roff and is engaged as traveling salesman for the Roff nursery. The party left at noon for Sulphur where they will spend a few days when they will return to Roff where they will reside.

A. F. Cowling of Cowlington, Ok., who has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jno. McKinney for a few days left this morning for the Sulphur reunion.

Ira B. Barron will on August 18th begin an old-time camp meeting at the Lucy Bennett park at Roff, Ok., and he requests the News to so announce and invite everybody to come. It will continue until Aug. 30.

### Marriage License.

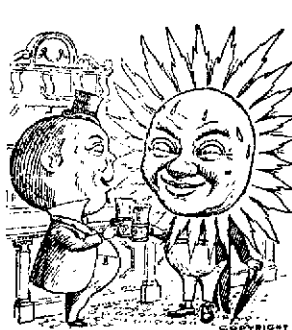
The following were granted license to marry: P. E. King of Lula and Gladys Barnard of Francis, Willie Fisher of Read and Nerville Price of Conway, Dave C. Crabtree of Blackrock and Minnie Broughton of Allen, C. A. Lovelace of Roff and Laura Welch of Spaulding, Emery Whaley and Edna Hendrix of Ada, C. Pierce and R. B. Rose of Center.

### ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

**Brother and Sister Victims of Children Holding Guns.**

Watonga, Ok., Aug. 8.—Fritz Winters, aged 7, son of an Okeene blacksmith, accidentally shot and killed his 4-year-old sister while they were playing with a shotgun early yesterday.

A similar accident occurred at Wynnewood, where Miss Minnie Tripp, aged 17, was accidentally shot and perhaps fatally injured by her 10-year-old sister, who was playing with a 22-caliber rifle.



**At Mrs. Simpson's.**  
On Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. W. Simpson entertained at her very pleasant home on West 14th street, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Simpson of Florence, Ala., who is a guest at the Simpson home. Progressive Forty-Two was the feature of the afternoon's entertainment, and delicious refreshments were served to those fortunate enough to be honored as guests of the occasion. Mrs. J. W. Byrd, sister of the hostess, ably and gracefully assisted in the entertainment and comfort of the guests. Out of town guest was Mrs. Foster Simpson of Konawa. Others present were: Mesdames Nethery, Beard Elbert Higgins, Shaw, Meaders, Hale, Ebey, LeFevre, Browall, Hope, Hardin, W. S. Thomson, Rives, Conn, Mays, Gwin, Hill, Allison, Laster, Thornton, H. C. Thompson, Weaver and Miss Nena Thompson. That the entertainment was delightful, is the unanimous opinion of those present.

Egg drinks at 109dtf MASON'S DRUG STORE.

## HIS SECRET DIES WITH HIM

Comanche, Ok., Aug. 9.—Death has sealed the lips of Newton Singleton, a farmer 35 years old, who after being shot by an unknown man in the road a few miles east of here, refused to divulge the name of the man who committed the crime. Men were seen riding toward the wagon occupied by Singleton, loud cursing rent the air and people residing nearby heard a gun shot. Presently the wagon was on fire. Then followed the cries of Singleton who said that he had been murdered. The fire was put out and Singleton wound dressed.

### TO RELINQUISH GUARANTY.

**National Banks Forbidden to Avail Themselves of State Law.**

Washington, Aug. 8.—Comptroller of the Currency Kane has officially notified all national banks of Oklahoma of the opinion rendered by Attorney General Bonaparte that it is illegal for officers of any national banks to enter into any such agreement as is contemplated by section four of the Oklahoma statutes relative to guaranteeing bank deposits, and that persistent and willful action to this effect would mean just cause for forfeiture of its charter.

All national banks which have taken advantage of the law referred to have been required to withdraw from the agreement and to notify the comptroller's office that they have done so.

Constable Lillard of Francis was here today.

Sterling P. Hendrix of Sulphur, an old boyhood friend of Tom Smith's was his guest Sunday.

## R.S. TOBIN

DEALER IN  
Groceries and Fresh Meats  
Phone 21. West Main Street  
**Cash Prices**

1 sack good Flour	.....\$1.25
1 sack good Bran	.....\$1.35
1 sack good Corn chops	.....\$1.45
17 pounds Sugar	.....\$1.00
15 pounds Rice	.....\$1.00
2 pounds Arm & Hammer Soda	.....15c
8 pounds of good Coffee	.....\$1.00
1 bucket Banner Coffee	.....80c
1 doz. 1-2 gal Mason Jars	.....75c
1 doz. 1-4 gal Mason Jars	.....60c
3 boxes Dr. Prices' Food	.....25c
3 boxes Matches	.....10c

Will make you close prices on all things in my line.

**R. S. Tobin**

## Meeting An Old Acquaintance

is always pleasurable, but sometimes it is a pretty warm welcome when old Sol and earth renew their friendship. They can drink to the season's health in a glass of our refreshing, cold and sparkling soda water. We have it with fresh, pure fruit juices, phosphates, ice cream and

### CHERRY LIMEADE.

That is the proper drink for the warm days.

AND JONES HE PAYS THE FREIGHT.

PHONE NO. 10.

**J. E. JONES DRUG CO.**

Leading Druggists

**Carpenters Wanted.**  
Good men to work on new Stock house, apply to E. F. Smith on works.  
OKLAHOMA PORTLAND CEMENT Co. d3ct107

Pinules for the kidneys, 30 day's trial \$1.00. Guaranteed. Act directly on the kidneys and bring relief to the first dose for backache, rheumatic pains, kidney and bladder trouble. Invigorate the entire system. Sold by Gwin, Mays & Co.

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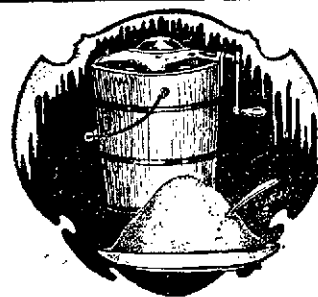
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## THE "PIE GIRL" IS ALIVE.

ACTOR IN STANFORD WHITE DIN-  
NER NOT DEAD.

Susie Johnson Declares Money Was  
Paid Her to Disappear from  
View—Tells How Feast  
Was Planned.

New York—"The Girl in the Pie," who figured so prominently in the amazing revelations of upper life in New York's Bohemia a few years ago and who was reported to have died of consumption, is alive and literally kicking. Susie Johnson—such is her name—did not get married, did not die

of consumption and was not buried in Potter's field, as was alleged when the notorious pie incident was brought up during the first trial of Harry Thaw for the murder of Stanford White.

White was one of the diners at the celebrated dinner given by "Jimmy" Brees, at which the high fliers of New York's rapid set were present. He became much interested in Susie Johnson after she made her sensational exit from the big pie in which she was concealed at the now historic carouse.

A world-wide search was made for her when the matter came up during the Thaw trial, but she was not found

A reporter the other day met the young woman, who is hale and extremely hearty.

"Why did you not contradict those reports of your marriage, desertion and pathetic death?" asked the reporter.

"Money," replied the pie girl placidly as she slipped off her dancing slipper and shook out an ordinary bit of sand. "Money," she repeated thoughtfully. "The same money that makes men take long chances down on Wall street, the same money that makes them sacrifice fame and friends, the same money that makes Mr. Rockefeller happy and Mr. Carnegie build libraries kept Susie Johnson, 'the girl in the pie,' out of sight. I was doing pretty well, thank you, by just keeping still. But now the time for keeping still is past. I just want to say that a lot of stuff published about me was not true.

"No reporter has ever talked to me. I was spirited away when that dinner broke up and no one, not even my own parents, saw me for a long, long time. Perhaps other girls represented themselves as Susie Johnson and did the talking. I never did. They said I was married and that my husband, brooding over my role in that famous dinner, went nearly insane and deserted me. I never married. They said I had consumption. I have never been ill a day. And you'll admit I'm very much alive.

"Now that my lips are unsealed, I am willing enough to talk. My memory for dates is not very clear, but I think that dinner was given in May, 1895. I had been posing for various artists, head and figure, and was just 15 years of age. Henry C. Poor gave the dinner in honor of a business friend, whose name I do not remember. In the studio of James L. Brees on Sixteenth street.

"I think Robert Reid planned the dinner and Mr. Poor footed the bills, because it was Mr. Reid who engaged me and told me what a great event it was to be. One hundred and fifty quarts of champagne, he said, had been ordered, and the dinner was to cost \$100 per plate without the wine.

"He rehearsed me very carefully for the part I was to play. You see, I had posed for him very often and he knew just what to expect of me. He bought a great shallow pan or tub, just big enough to hold me, and had a cover of crust baked for it. Then the crust was very carefully lifted off. I was put inside and the cover laid over me. My shoulders were draped with black gauze and a blackbird such as you put on a hat was fastened in my hair, which hung down around my shoulders. In my hand I carried a box filled with tiny birds. As soon as the crust was cut I took the lid off this box and out flew the birds. Then I popped up into view."

## CAT HAS ODD LITTER

SURPRISING PROGENY BORNE BY  
MALTESE TABBY.

Kittens Tied in Knot Like Double  
Siamese Twins—Mother Pos-  
sessed of Peculiarities But  
Is Good Rat Catcher.

Brooklyn—Tabby, a fine maltese cat, besides being a source of great comfort to her mistress, Mrs. Grinnell of 598 Lafayette avenue, is really an extraordinary and uncommon creature. She can be counted on once every six months to produce a sensation.

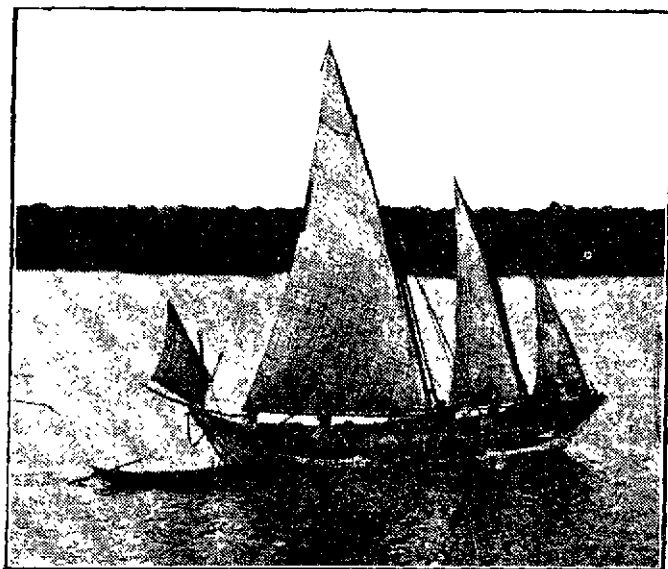
Ever since one Sunday morning she has had all the neighborhood agog. The fame of her latest exploit has spread to remote parts of the borough.

Tabby gave birth to a most remarkable litter of kittens. Three of them had each seven toes on their forefeet and five on their hind feet; but this is or was not to be wondered at, for Tabby herself is possessed of these peculiarities.

The remaining four, wonderful to relate, were all tied in a knot. They were veritably like the Siamese twins, twice over. How they nursed and how they lived a whole week, and might have been living yet had not Mrs. Grinnell humanely ended their complicated existence, is a modern wonder.

There were four separate and distinct bodies, and from four pairs of dusty lungs they gave forth lusty meows, and with their legs they pushed and pawed each other in futile attempts to get apart. And the bewildered mother also tried to separate them. She was so much concerned about her strange offspring that she paid no attention at all to the three

## AN ODD SAILING CRAFT



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Scene near the Strait Settlements, Southeastern India.

that had been born with separate entities. And Mrs. Grinnell, for fear of having them die of malnutrition, drowned them.

Once it was bruited about that Tabby had given birth to a bunch of kittens all tied together, not only the neighbors called to see the monstrosity, but even the neighbors' cats. For a whole week all of the neighbors' cats congregated in Mrs. Grinnell's back yard and cellar to view Tabby's funny little ones, and to discuss the phenomenon in their tattle way.

Mrs. Grinnell became very much annoyed at the notoriety given her

premises by the Tabby family, and she straightway summoned her nephew, who happens to be an undertaker, and bade him dispatch the quartet of kittens. And now Mrs. Grinnell is seriously considering ending the existence of Tabby herself, for ever since she arrived at maturity the cat has been doing some funny "stunt" like this. Indeed, she is seemingly beyond reform. This, however, Mrs. Grinnell will say in her favor, she is a champion rat catcher. The extra claws with which she is equipped seem to stand her in good stead whenever she goes a-ratting.

## New Birds for the Mountains.

Denver Man Brings Them All the Way  
from Sweden.

Denver, Col.—Two strange birds have arrived in Denver, having journeyed all the way from Sweden. Now they are domiciled in the city park, if the plans of their owner, W. F. Kendrick, succeed, they will be the progenitors of a new race of birds in the Colorado mountains.

They are the capercailzie, pronounced caper-kai-zi, and are the size of a small turkey. In habits they are much like grouse and ptarmigan. They thrive best at timber line, and subsist on pine, spruce and hemlock boughs and mountain berries.

Mr. Kendrick, who is tremendously interested in birds and animals, has had an ambition for some time to start

the breeding of these birds in Colorado because of their rarity and beauty. He has already bred and liberated thousands of pheasants, but the capercailzie were hard to get. For months he has had a commission in Sweden for two perfect birds. As the result of this order, the two arrived recently.

The capercailzie is almost as large as and similar in habits to the American wild turkey, with the advantage that it can endure much more severe hardships and cold weather, and will live on food such as is obtainable from the treetops, if necessary, when the ground is deeply covered with snow.

Mr. Kendrick will keep the birds at the park until they breed, his plan being to take the young to the most suitable places in the mountains and liberate them.

## GIVES HUSBAND TO A NURSE.

Woman Selects Successor in Spirit of  
Gratitude.

Mount Holly, N. J.—Mrs. Carmine Pallante, wife of a well-to-do resident of Mount Holly, died six months ago after a prolonged illness. Angela Izzi and Christina Izzi, her daughter, of Philadelphia, nursed the woman.

The tender ministrations of the mother, Angela, so endeared the woman to Mrs. Pallante that, when she knew death was near, she chose Mrs. Izzi as her successor in the affections of her husband.

With her dying words she declared that she was happy in the thought that her husband would have a good wife after she died.

The public was in ignorance of the episode until recently, when the news was made public by Pallante, when he married Mrs. Izzi.

## WOMEN'S SENSE OF BEAUTY.

This Is Chief Cause of Their Extrava-  
gance in Dress.

"Modern women are extravagant," says Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, "but it is the conditions of our modern life, with its loss of personal independence, which are to blame for this extravagance."

Mrs. Richards teaches in the Institute of Technology and is deeply interested in educational questions, particularly those which relate to economic and industrial training, but before everything else Mrs. Richards is a gracious, charming lady who moves among the glass flasks and Bunsen burners of her chemical laboratory with the same poise and dignity which her mother probably showed in the linen room 50 years ago, says the Boston Herald. So one isn't surprised to find that while the tech teacher realizes perfectly all the temptations which the modern woman is heir to, her plea is not the overcoming of these temptations by mannish disregard of all pretty things, but rather a return to the old, beautiful ideals of living, which recognized primarily that things were not really "pretty" unless they were also "good."

She compared the women of to-day and of 50 years ago as regards the quantity and the quality of their dresses.

"Did you never hear of the Judge's wife in one of our Massachusetts towns," she asked, "who had only three gowns?"

Her gray eyes smiled quietly as she watched the astonishment of her twentieth century listener, and she continued in calm enjoyment:

"Yes, she had her morning gown, in which she did her housework—linsey woolsey, I suppose it was, spun by herself—and she had the gown which she wore for calls and at church, and then she had her beautiful brocade, heavy and rich and splendid—why, it would stand alone! And it cost a great deal, because it was such a lovely thing; but she wore it and wore it and handed it down to her daughter and even now it's the most precious dress of the daughter's daughter."

But compare with that inventory the gowns of a woman of to-day. She must have her morning dress, which she can never wear in the afternoon; she must have gowns for street wear, for dinners, for receptions, for dances, for lectures. And yet—she hasn't one really nice dress out of the lot—how can she, when she must have so many?

It's this desire for the show of things and not for the real goodness underneath that is the greatest extravagance of modern women," declared Mrs. Richards with increasing fervor. "Instead of getting one nice gown which will last for years and years, we get these slazy stuffs which pull to pieces before the season is over. And the reason is that our sense of beauty is defective."

## Height of Great Men.

The duke of Wellington has always been a mystery. I have read that he was six feet four inches tall. I have read also that he was only five feet six inches. Historians tell us he was anywhere from five feet six inches to five feet eleven inches. There are some things, seemingly very simple which it is impossible to establish; this is one of them. Historians are still guessing the height of Julius Caesar, the size of Hannibal's head, the weight of Alexander the Great and the general dimensions of Solomon. Why, we are not even sure of the stature of George Washington. It might be believed that Napoleon, Alexander the Great and Jay Gould were of the same size, three bumptious little chaps. And it is common belief that Charlemagne, Erling the Bold, Frederick the Great, Robert Bruce, Sir William Wallace, Gen. Winfield Scott and Richard Coeur de Lion were all top-notchers. "Old Fuss and Feathers," formed in the prodigality of nature, leading in girth and weight.—N. Y. Press.

## Dictionary Users Modest.

"Men are never so modest as when they go to use a dictionary," remarked an attendant at the public library. "As a rule when you see a man go to a public dictionary or one in any place where other people are around, you'll see him look around furtively as if in fear somebody might see him. Men who make no pretensions at having any great amount of knowledge nevertheless seem to be embarrassed to have any one think that they do not know the pronunciation or meaning of some English word. The next time you see a man looking up a word in the dictionary, just ask him what it is he is looking up, and see if he will tell you. You'll find in at least nine cases out of ten that he won't tell. He's afraid you'll know it and have the fun of enlightening him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Willing, However.

The bachelor clergyman was showing a woman visitor through his church.

"Now, madam," he said, "you have seen the organ, the font and the nave. With your permission, I will now conduct you to the altar."

"Oh," she exclaimed after the manner of her kind, "this is so sudden!"

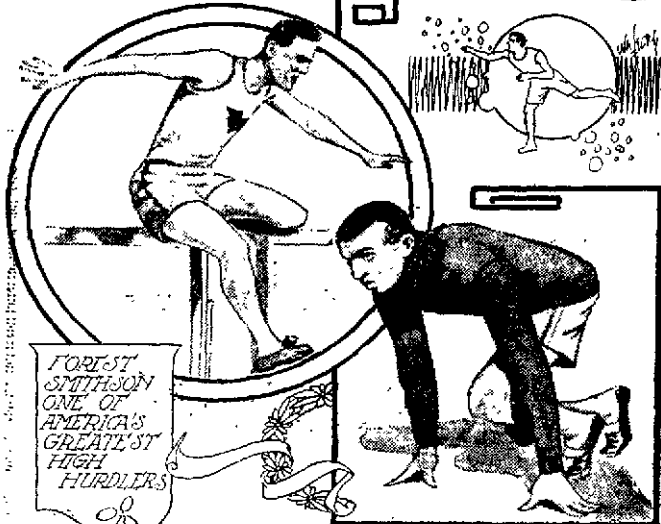
## Still Had Hopes.

"Say," queried the Wise Guy, "don't you ever get discouraged in trying to get something for nothing?"

"Now," replied the granger, who had just invested in his twenty-third gold brick, "I've noticed th' other feller alters gits his that way, 'an' mebbe in th' course ov time I'll be th' other feller."

# OLYMPIAD at LONDON

AMERICAN ATHLETES TO MEET  
WORLD RIVALS.



J.B. TAYLOR, CHAMPION  
QUARTER-MILE RUNNER

One of the greatest contests in the history of sport will mark the Franco-British exposition in London this summer, when the Olympian games, which have been a growing feature each succeeding year since their revival, will be held. Thousands and thousands of lovers of track and field athletics will crowd this immense arena, the largest in the world. It is expected that the tiers upon tiers of solid concrete seats able to accommodate 58,000 people will be filled, that 25,000 more will fill the available standing room, while down on the cinder path the greatest runners and athletes of the world will strain every muscle and sinew to win glory and honor, and it is confidently expected that American contestants will give a good accounting of themselves and will be able to carry off their share of the prizes.

That this country has every reason to expect great things of her athletes one has only to consider the list of men who have been selected to enter the contests. It is without any doubt the best and largest body of athletes ever sent out by any country to capture the championship of the world. The success of the American team at Athens two years ago surprised even its most ardent supporters. The victory was clean cut and decisive. That team was not the best this country could produce. A new system of selecting men has been tried this year, and the Stars and Stripes will be carried by the cream of this country's athletes.

There never was a time when America could boast of such athletes as she has at present. Now almost every one, from the primary schoolboy to the college senior, is interested in athletics, and consequently rapid strides have been made in running, jumping and weight throwing.

Everything will favor the English athletes. They will be on their own soil, climatic conditions will be in their favor and they will escape a long and possibly rough ocean voyage and a week in which training will be carried on under great disadvantages. The Americans must meet and overcome all these handicaps.

Will America win the Olympic championship? Nearly every one who has followed track and field athletics at all closely in this country will reply in the affirmative and immediately ask "Who can beat us?" More than seventy-five men will compose the American team. They will come from all parts of the country—north, south, east and west. Nearly a dozen nationalities will be represented, an Indian from the government school, a Greek, Germans, plenty of Irish, a Swede, some French and Italian descendants and a negro. The majority of the team will be native-born Americans. America's greatest athletes seem to be of Irish descent, and a glance at the names of the members will prove this. Here are a few of them: Flanagan, Sheridan, McGrath, O'Connell, Morrissey and Hayes. And nearly all of these will be point winners.

At the head of the team will be the greatest physical trainer in this country, if not the world, "Mike" Murphy, who now handles the athletes of the University of Pennsylvania. He has spent a lifetime in this work, and is a wizard in developing and determining the ability of a runner or jumper. "Mike," as he is known, will have a big job attending to 75 high-strung human thoroughbreds, but there is no man more capable of sending them to the mark in the pink of condition than he.

Many of the members of the team are college men, both students and graduates. Some of the universities and colleges which will be represented are Pennsylvania, Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Cornell, Dartmouth, Michigan, Leland Stanford, Chicago, Illinois, Virginia and Swarthmore. Some of the college athletes have just completed their freshman year, while others are graduates of six years' standing.

Every man on the team is an amateur with not the slightest taint of professionalism. In selecting the men

the first thing before the American Olympic committee was to determine whether or not the candidate was above all suspicion and could meet the high requirements demanded of all entrants. Every man on the team is a contestant for pure love of sport and the glory and health to be derived from it.

It is of interest to consider the ability and records of a few of the men. Every country will admit American sprinters are the best. In every contest requiring speed and agility our athletes are supreme. The two dashes—100 and 200 meter races—will undoubtedly be won by Americans.

America's greatest runner for the 400-meter race is a negro—J. B. Taylor of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a slow starter and early in the race always seems to be hopelessly beaten, but he finishes with a wonderful burst of speed and is rarely defeated. America should win this race. To help Taylor there will be "Jack" Atlee of Princeton, J. C. Carpenter of Cornell, N. A. Merriam of Chicago, and three or four others if they are needed.

For the 800-meter race, which corresponds to our 880, we have probably the fastest man in the world at this distance. He is Melvin W. Sheppard of the Irish-American club, a young runner who has been breaking records since his schoolboy days, only a few years back.

When the 1,500-meter race is reached, we come to England's specialty. The Britons are the greatest distance runners in the world. They have wonderful power of endurance, and their bulldog grit carries them to victory in long contests. But America is now coming to the front, and it would be no surprise to see the plucky Britons beaten at their own game this year.

The Marathon race of 25 miles is the most grueling contest on the Olympic program. America may not win, but T. P. Morrissey, a resident of Yonkers, will surely be well up at the finish, with a good chance of carrying off the laurel wreath.

The timber-toppers, or hurdle racers, of America have no equal the world over. Three of those who will go to England have run in world's record time. They are A. B. Shaw of Dartmouth, Johnny Garreths of Michigan, and Forest C. Smithson of Oregon. These men should sweep the card.

Ray C. Ewry of the New York Athletic club has been winning the standing high and broad jumps at Olympic games longer than some of the members of the American team have been in athletics. There is no one who can approach his records. He will undoubtedly win ten points for America. In the running high jump we have two men who have cleared six feet two inches or better. They are H. F. Porter of the Irish-American Athletic club and Tom Moffitt, formerly of Pennsylvania. One of them should win in the stadium, but it is just possible America will finish second in this event.

One of our best broad jumpers is Frank Mountpleasant, an Indian from the Carlisle school. He has a good record, as has E. T. Cook of Cornell and Dan Kelly of the Irish-American Athletic club, both of whom will accompany him on the trip.

America's weight throwers are in a class by themselves. Ralph Rose, a young western giant, holds nearly all records with the shot; John Flanagan, Mike McGrath and Martin Sheridan, all New York policemen, hold many records with the hammer and discus. It will be a great surprise if America does not win the pole vault, for she has A. C. Gilbert of Yale, the world's record holder, and Walter Dray, his teammate, the former record holder. There are other men on the team who can vault 12 feet or higher.

There are several other contests on the Olympic program, but this completes the list with which this country is familiar. For the swimming events, America will depend on C. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic club, the world's record holder.